

Kilkenny City and County Draft
Development Plan 2021-2027

Chief Executive's Report

Report of the Chief Executive on Submissions to the Proposed Material
Alterations to the Draft Kilkenny City & County Development Plan
2021-2027

Forward Planning

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*CE's Report on submissions to the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft City and County Development
Plan 2021-2027*

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1 Introduction

This Report forms part of the statutory procedure for the preparation of a Development Plan, as required by the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended.

The purpose of this Report is -

- To report on the written submissions/observations received in relation to the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Kilkenny City and County Development Plan during the public consultation period which ran from the 30th of June 2021 to the 28th of July 2021.
- To set out the Chief Executive's response to the issues raised in the submissions/observations and;
- To make recommendations to the Members of Kilkenny County Council on the issues arising from the consultation process.

The Report is now submitted to the Members for their consideration.

1.1 Details of Public Display

The documents put on public display for the Plan were:

- **Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Kilkenny City and County Development Plan 2021**
- **Strategic Environmental Assessment Report incl. Strategic Flood Risk Assessment**
- **Natura Impact Report**
- **Addendum to the Draft Strategic Flood Risk Assessment**

The documents went on public display for a period of 4 weeks on our public consultation portal **Consult.Kilkenny.ie** from the 30th of June 2021 to the 28th of July 2021. Hard copies of the documents were made available for public display at the Planning public counter and in all the County Libraries subject to Covid-19 protocols in place during the display period.

1.2 Public Engagement

Due to Covid -19 restrictions, face to face public consultation meetings could not take place as per the norm for previous development plan processes. During the public display period however the Planning Section arranged four Development Plan clinics, on dates and times as follows:

7 th July 2021 (9.30 to 13.00)	By Phone
8 th July 2021 (9.30 to 13.00)	By Phone
14 th July 2021 (9.30 to 13.00)	By Pnone
15 th July 2021 (9.30 to 13.00)	By Phone

1.3 Ourplan Website

A dedicated website was developed for all stages of the Kilkenny City and County Draft Development Plan 2021-2027, known as 'Our Plan'. This website provided updates and information on each stage of the Development Plan process.

2 Submissions Received

Submissions to the Material Alterations could be made either:

- Online at <https://ourplan.kilkenny.ie> by following the link on the site, or
- Via email to ourplan@kilkennycoco.ie; or
- In writing to the Council's Planning Office

Submissions made on the Council's online portal, <https://Consult.Kilkenny.ie/>, could include drawings of any areas relating to the submission or could be made on an interactive Development Plan map.

In total 628 submissions were received by Kilkenny County Council to the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft Kilkenny City and County Development Plan, as set out below¹.

¹ The full text of the submissions received are available to view at the following link: <https://consult.kilkenny.ie/en/node/4680/submissions>

Table 1: List of submissions received to the Proposed Material Alterations to the Draft City and County Development Plan

Ref. No	Name/Group
KK-C176-1	EPA
KK-C176-2	Pat & Mark Cantwell
KK-C176-3	TII
KK-C176-4	Coillte
KK-C176-5	Keep Ireland Open
KK-C176-6	Nitrofert Ltd
KK-C176-7	Richard Walsh, Tullahought Community Development Ltd
KK-C176-8	OPW
KK-C176-9	Dept of Transport
KK-C176-10	Alexander Walsh
KK-C176-11	Joey Shore
KK-C176-12	Victoria O'Donoghue
KK-C176-13	Eric Dignan on behalf of 'Save our Hills' Community Group
KK-C176-14	Neal McCormack
KK-C176-15	Stephen Keogh
KK-C176-16	Christopher O'Keefe
KK-C176-17	Christopher O'Keefe
KK-C176-18	Save the South Leinster Way Group
KK-C176-19	Sean Kennedy
KK-C176-20	Catriona Carroll
KK-C176-21	Marion Acreman (MacDonagh Junction)
KK-C176-22	Eoghan Kinane
KK-C176-23	Eric Dignan on behalf of 'Save our Hills' Community Group
KK-C176-24	ESB
KK-C176-25	Tara Heavey
KK-C176-26	Stephen Keogh on behalf of David Dillon
KK-C176-27	Stephen Keogh
KK-C176-28	Stephen Keogh on behalf of Pat Comerford
KK-C176-29	Stephen Keogh on behalf of Jason Quinn

KK-C176-30	Pol Brennan
KK-C176-31	Cliona Geraghty
KK-C176-32	Damien Brett
KK-C176-33	Martin Matthews
KK-C176-34	Phil Brennan (Hughes)
KK-C176-35	Clive and Martina Jackson
KK-C176-36	Joanne Moore
KK-C176-37	David O'Connor
KK-C176-38	Ciara Boutros
KK-C176-39	Caiseal Conservation Committee
KK-C176-40	Frank Walsh, Lingaun Valley Tourism
KK-C176-41	Vanessa Cullen
KK-C176-42	Dean Lannon
KK-C176-43	Richard Walsh
KK-C176-44	Padraig Moore
KK-C176-45	Joe Bolger
KK-C176-46	Declan Brassil on behalf of Whisperview Trading, and Carriganog Racing
KK-C176-47	Darren Brennan
KK-C176-48	Coillte
KK-C176-49	Eirgrid
KK-C176-50	Southern Regional Assembly
KK-C176-51	Josie & Tom Grace
KK-C176-52	Richard Walsh on behalf of Springfield Renewables
KK-C176-53	Pauline O'Connell
KK-C176-54	Eamon Colman
KK-C176-55	DAU
KK-C176-56	Antoin O'Niell
KK-C176-57	Jamie & Marie Fennelly
KK-C176-58	OPR
KK-C176-59	Noel O'Keefe
KK-C176-60	Seskin Wind Farm
KK-C176-61	Denis Devane on behalf of Wind Energy Ireland

KK-C176-62	Pat Brett on behalf of EcoPower Ltd
KK-C176-63	Philip Corr
KK-C176-64	Fiona Corr
KK-C176-65	Breda Deasy
KK-C176-66	John Corr
KK-C176-67	Canice Corr
KK-C176-68	Lousie Corr
KK-C176-69	Johnny McCabe
KK-C176-70	Department of Education
KK-C176-71	Jennifer Dillon & Micael Tierney
KK-C176-72	Local Authority Waters Programme
KK-C176-73	Maire Troy
KK-C176-74	Mary Agar
KK-C176-75	Anna Adamczyk
KK-C176-76	Seamus Agar
KK-C176-77	Leona Amond
KK-C176-78	Jamie Agar
KK-C176-79	Linda Armitage
KK-C176-80	Tom Brennan
KK-C176-81	Gillian Brennan
KK-C176-82	Maureen Brennan
KK-C176-83	Tony Brennan
KK-C176-84	Michael Boyd
KK-C176-85	Mairead Buckley
KK-C176-86	Blaithin Breen
KK-C176-87	Serina Brennan
KK-C176-88	Noel Breen
KK-C176-89	Ruairi Breen
KK-C176-90	Marie Breen
KK-C176-91	Martin Byrne
KK-C176-92	Kelly Brennan
KK-C176-93	Simon Bourke

KK-C176-94	Joan Brennan
KK-C176-95	Ann Butler
KK-C176-96	Mary Brennnan
KK-C176-97	David Brennan
KK-C176-98	Wiliam Butler
KK-C176-99	SueAnne Brett
KK-C176-100	Conor Brett
KK-C176-101	Denis Byrne
KK-C176-102	Michael Bree
KK-C176-103	Kevin Browne
KK-C176-104	Tom Barrett
KK-C176-105	Maura Brett
KK-C176-106	Kevin Barry
KK-C176-107	Kieran Brett
KK-C176-108	Jim Bolger
KK-C176-109	Ray Brophy
KK-C176-110	Siobhan Bolger
KK-C176-111	Gladys Bowles
KK-C176-112	Ann Brennan
KK-C176-113	Tony Byrne
KK-C176-114	Gerry Byrne
KK-C176-115	Sean Brennan
KK-C176-116	J Byrne
KK-C176-117	Sinead Butler
KK-C176-118	Kieran Brennan
KK-C176-119	Amanda Brennan
KK-C176-120	Pat Brennan
KK-C176-121	Joseph Brennan
KK-C176-122	Ann Bergin
KK-C176-123	Grace Byrne
KK-C176-124	Patricia M Byrne
KK-C176-125	Erika Byrne

KK-C176-126	Paula Boyd
KK-C176-127	Jacinta Barcoe
KK-C176-128	Desmond Barry
KK-C176-129	Aine Bannon
KK-C176-130	Pauline Bergin
KK-C176-131	John Joe Bergin
KK-C176-132	S. Butler
KK-C176-133	Jim Butler
KK-C176-134	James Bergin
KK-C176-135	Andrew Bergin
KK-C176-136	Isabelle Bergin
KK-C176-137	Paddy Byrne
KK-C176-138	Josie Byrne
KK-C176-139	Ashleigh Boote
KK-C176-140	James Boote
KK-C176-141	Martha Bolger Bergin
KK-C176-142	Niamh Bartley
KK-C176-143	Boru Bergin
KK-C176-144	Kieran Byrne
KK-C176-145	Eamon Breen
KK-C176-146	Brigid Breen
KK-C176-147	Claire Byrne
KK-C176-148	Charlotte Boote
KK-C176-149	Rita Byrne
KK-C176-150	Seamus Byrne
KK-C176-151	Thomas Breen
KK-C176-152	Stephen Barham
KK-C176-153	Lottie Boote
KK-C176-154	Debbie Cantwell
KK-C176-155	Pat Crotty
KK-C176-156	Dermot Cullen
KK-C176-157	Karl Cummins

KK-C176-158	Vicky Comerford
KK-C176-159	Maura Curran
KK-C176-160	Eimear Clarke
KK-C176-161	Darragh Cunningham
KK-C176-162	Andy Cunningham
KK-C176-163	Lucie Carroll
KK-C176-164	John Costigan
KK-C176-165	Pamela Cranley
KK-C176-166	John Joe Cullen
KK-C176-167	Noel Corr
KK-C176-168	Brendan Cantwell
KK-C176-169	Barbara Carroll
KK-C176-170	Matthew & Anna Corr
KK-C176-171	Aedin Collins
KK-C176-172	Ann Cody
KK-C176-173	Ray Cantwell
KK-C176-174	George Clinton
KK-C176-175	Niall Costigan
KK-C176-176	Stasia Costigan
KK-C176-177	Ella Costigan
KK-C176-178	Andrew Cunningham
KK-C176-179	Breda Comerford
KK-C176-180	Pauline Connick
KK-C176-181	Sean Connick
KK-C176-182	Philomena Cunningham
KK-C176-183	Sharon Callis
KK-C176-184	Ian Comerford
KK-C176-185	Martin Curran
KK-C176-186	Gavin Cahill
KK-C176-187	Harry Coldough
KK-C176-188	Ivan Cahil
KK-C176-189	Hazel Treacy Coleman

KK-C176-190	Karina Campion
KK-C176-191	Tony Cleere
KK-C176-192	Shane Corrigan
KK-C176-193	Yvonne Curran
KK-C176-194	Carol Cunningham
KK-C176-195	Donal Coyne
KK-C176-196	Pauline Cass
KK-C176-197	Tony Coady
KK-C176-198	Philip Cooney
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KK-C176-200	Kieran Conway
KK-C176-201	James Culleton
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KK-C176-203	Kathleen Culleton
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KK-C176-205	Ann Coldough
KK-C176-206	Kathleen C Corry
KK-C176-207	Barry Coldough
KK-C176-208	Johnathon Chapman
KK-C176-209	Bridget Coady
KK-C176-210	Helen Coldough
KK-C176-211	Andrew Casey
KK-C176-212	Darren Comerford
KK-C176-213	Bronagh Cleere
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KK-C176-215	Gerard Campion
KK-C176-216	Elaine Campbell
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KK-C176-227	Therese Drummond
KK-C176-228	John Dowling
KK-C176-229	Garry Downing
KK-C176-230	Justin Duggan
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KK-C176-253	Riann Dignan

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KK-C176-257	Orla Finlayson
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KK-C176-395	Joshua Mac Aodha
KK-C176-396	Enda McEvoy
KK-C176-397	Karen Ann Malone
KK-C176-398	Angela Malone
KK-C176-399	Roisin Millar
KK-C176-400	Padraig McMarthy
KK-C176-401	Cristina Mesa
KK-C176-402	Micheal Mac Geraint
KK-C176-403	Liam & Veronica Mulhall
KK-C176-404	Shane Myles
KK-C176-405	Donal Mooney
KK-C176-406	H. Mooney
KK-C176-407	Joanne Moore
KK-C176-408	Jan Murphy
KK-C176-409	Anne McInerney
KK-C176-410	Eoin McMullan
KK-C176-411	Alex McDonald
KK-C176-412	Christine Matthews
KK-C176-413	Niamh McMullan

KK-C176-414	Chloe McDonald
KK-C176-415	Marie Martin
KK-C176-416	Antony Morrissey
KK-C176-417	Anthony Maher
KK-C176-418	Joe Maher
KK-C176-419	Agnes Maher
KK-C176-420	Patricia Maher
KK-C176-421	Larry Maher
KK-C176-422	Breda Maher
KK-C176-423	Paul Maher
KK-C176-424	Tom Maher
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KK-C176-426	Lorcan Maher
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KK-C176-428	Niamh Maher
KK-C176-429	Deirdre Maher
KK-C176-430	Margaret Maher
KK-C176-431	Miriam Maher
KK-C176-432	Eoin Maher
KK-C176-433	John Maher
KK-C176-434	Mikie Maher
KK-C176-435	Ciara Nolan
KK-C176-436	Rachel Nolan
KK-C176-437	Jack Nolan
KK-C176-438	Sean Nolan
KK-C176-439	John Nolan
KK-C176-440	Elizabeth Graham Nash
KK-C176-441	Andrew Nash
KK-C176-442	P.Nolan
KK-C176-443	Michaela Noctor
KK-C176-444	Brigid Nolan
KK-C176-445	Brian Nolan

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KK-C176-449	Orla Nolan
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KK-C176-451	Cindy Nolan
KK-C176-452	Loretta Nolan
KK-C176-453	Ollie Nolan
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KK-C176-456	Michael Nolan
KK-C176-457	Maria Nolan
KK-C176-458	Annette Nolan
KK-C176-459	Christopher O' Keefe
KK-C176-460	Ellen O Brien
KK-C176-461	Martin O Connell
KK-C176-462	Tomas O Brien
KK-C176-463	Alan O Brien
KK-C176-464	Padraic O Niell
KK-C176-465	Debbie Ormsby
KK-C176-466	Caroline O Brien
KK-C176-467	Claire O Regan
KK-C176-468	Laura O Mahoney
KK-C176-469	Kevin O Brien
KK-C176-470	Siobhan O Niell
KK-C176-471	John O Shea
KK-C176-472	Michael O Farrell
KK-C176-473	Fiona O Niell
KK-C176-474	Margaret O Brien
KK-C176-475	Gabrielle O Niell
KK-C176-476	Paddy O Ceallaigh
KK-C176-477	Amy O Brien

KK-C176-478	Ann Marie Osborne
KK-C176-479	Eoin O Sullivan
KK-C176-480	Goretti O Regan
KK-C176-481	Lisa O Niell
KK-C176-482	Mark Ormsby
KK-C176-483	Tom O Donoghue
KK-C176-484	Rebecca O Halloran
KK-C176-485	Kieran O Regan
KK-C176-486	Elaine O Regan
KK-C176-487	Margaret O Connell
KK-C176-488	Brigid O Connell
KK-C176-489	Anthony O Brien
KK-C176-490	Paul O Donnell
KK-C176-491	Shane O Regan
KK-C176-492	Noel O Donoghue
KK-C176-493	Maria O Sullivan
KK-C176-494	Anne O Connor
KK-C176-495	Simon O Hara
KK-C176-496	Michael O Sullivan
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KK-C176-499	Joan O Sullivan
KK-C176-500	Eugene O Sullivan
KK-C176-501	Brian Parle
KK-C176-502	Ted Petrie
KK-C176-503	Stephen Petrie
KK-C176-504	Karly Phelan
KK-C176-505	Amelia Peart
KK-C176-506	Declan Phelan
KK-C176-507	Michael Power
KK-C176-508	Sarah Phelan
KK-C176-509	Gary Phelan

KK-C176-510	Michael Phelan
KK-C176-511	Linda Phelan
KK-C176-512	Lourda Phelan
KK-C176-513	Debbie Parker
KK-C176-514	Katherine Phelan
KK-C176-515	Alice Power
KK-C176-516	Trina Petrie
KK-C176-517	Eoghan Phelan
KK-C176-518	James Powell
KK-C176-519	Teige Powell
KK-C176-520	Kate Powell
KK-C176-521	Aine Prendergast
KK-C176-522	Lisa Power
KK-C176-523	Flor Prendergast
KK-C176-524	Rory Power
KK-C176-525	Cillian Power
KK-C176-526	Siobhan Power
KK-C176-527	Orla Phelan
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KK-C176-530	John Rafter
KK-C176-531	Abbie Ryan
KK-C176-532	Alan Rhatigan
KK-C176-533	Alan Rochford
KK-C176-534	Mandy Ryan
KK-C176-535	Honor Ryan
KK-C176-536	Gabriela Rothoua
KK-C176-537	Harry Reid
KK-C176-538	Debbie Rafter
KK-C176-539	Boodan Rampersaud
KK-C176-540	Joe Shore
KK-C176-541	Ross Stewart

KK-C176-542	Kevin Spratt
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KK-C176-623	James Butler
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2.1 Report Structure

In the 'Chief Executive's Recommendation' section any proposed new text to the Development Plan is shown in *red italics* and deletions are shown as a ~~strikethrough~~.

Section 2A of the report deals with the submission from the Office of the Planning Regulator, Section 2B with the submissions from other statutory agencies, Government Departments and regulatory bodies. Section 2C deals with all other submissions.

Due to the level of submissions in relation to the wind energy strategy these have been grouped together and the response to these submission has been collated into **Section 3** Wind Energy Strategy.

Having examined the further modifications proposed as a result of the CE's recommendations, the Council is satisfied that, in accordance with Section 12(10)(c) of the Planning and Development Act, as amended, the modifications are (i) minor in nature, and therefore not likely to have significant effects on the environment or adversely affect the integrity of a European site, and they do not relate to:

- (I) an increase in the area of land zoned for any purpose, or
- (II) an addition to or deletion from the record of protected structures.

Section 2A: Submission from the Office of the Planning Regulator

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KK-C176-58	Office of Planning Regulator (OPR)	<p>The submission welcomes the response of the Council to the OPR's recommendations/observations to the Draft Plan</p> <p>The submission sets out 5 recommendations under the following key themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Core Strategy (two number) 2, Renewable energy and Climate Change 3. Economic Development & 4 Zoning Amendment <p>1 Core Strategy</p> <p>(a) The Planning Authority is required to include an objective in the draft plan which provides for the review of the Local Area Plans for Callan, Castlecomer & Thomastown within 12 months of the City & County Plan coming into effect and to ensure that they are consistent with National Policy Objectives 3, 6,7 and Regional Policy Objectives 3,34,& 35.</p>	<p>1 Core Strategy</p> <p>(a) Reviews of the LAPs for Callan Castlecomer and Thomastown will be carried out following the adoption of the Plan.</p> <p>Recommendation: Delete the last line and insert the following text to the Plan at the end of the fourth paragraph in section 4.4 District Towns:</p> <p><i>“The local area plans for Callan Castlecomer and Thomastown, will be reviewed to ensure consistency with the Core Strategy and policy promoting regeneration, sequential development and compact growth and will identify regeneration, brownfield and opportunity sites that will contribute to compact growth.”</i></p> <p><i>The reviews will be carried out within 12 months of the coming into effect of this Plan, subject to resources.</i></p> <p>(b) Delete Objective 4La and replace with a similar more elaborate objective as follows:</p> <p>To develop a set of criteria and a programme to carry out an analysis of the Smaller Towns and Villages (Tier 4) to consider</p> <p>(a) the provision of zoning maps where appropriate (</p>

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		<p>(b) The Planning Authority is required to revisit Objective 4La and (i) consider the provision of land use zoning maps for Ballyragget, Mooncoin, Paulstown, Piltown and Urlingford, (ii) include specific local objectives (iii) indentify land with development constraints.</p> <p>The planning authority is required to include an objective for (i), (ii) & (iii) and effective monitoring and ensure consistency with National Policy Objectives 3 & 7 and Regional Policy Objectives 3, 34, & 35.</p> <p>2. Renewable Energy</p> <p>The OPR is of the view that the Material Amendments proposed for the Draft Plan significantly undermine the contribution of the development plan to meeting national renewable energy targets under the Climate Action Plan.</p> <p>The OPR states that as a result of the Material Alteration to the draft wind energy strategy that the Plan is not consistent with the Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change 2017 and is contrary to the National Policy Objective 56 and Regional Policy Objective 56 (low carbon economy)</p> <p>The amendments to change geographical areas designated in the Draft Plan as 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration' unreasonably and substantially restrict the opportunity for County Kilkenny to contribute to the national</p>	<p>particularly for Ballyragget, Mooncoin, Paulstown, Piltown, Kilmacow and Urlingford)</p> <p>(b) developing specific objectives for core areas, focal spaces, amenities and opportunity sites etc.,</p> <p>(c) identify land with development constraints.</p> <p>This programme to be commenced within 12 months of the coming into effect of the Plan.</p> <p>2. Renewable Energy</p> <p>The Council understands its obligations to contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy. Sections 11.4 and 11.5.1 of the Draft Plan had set out the megawatts required to meet the 100% renewable energy target, noting that the gap to meeting the renewable energy target is currently 201 MW. A strategic approach was taken to the identification of areas for wind energy, in line with the Government's Guidelines. Recognising the significant differential that occurs from the theoretical land availability to the actual land availability, due to setback distances from residences, site level constraints, landowner reluctance, ecology, heritage, and grid connection, adequate headroom was designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' to account for the difference between theoretical resource and the actual capacity. The Draft Plan therefore designated over 50,000 hectares as 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>In response to the Draft, a large number of submissions were received, seeking changes in the wind energy designations in three main areas; Castlebanny, Lingaun Valley and the</p>

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		<p>targets for renewable energy set out in the Climate Action Plan 2019.</p> <p>Restrictions in relation to the scale of wind farms under Section 11.5.2 have no national policy basis.</p> <p>Having regard to the Government's commitment in the Climate Action Plan to achieve 70% of electricity from renewable sources by 2030, National Policy Objective 55, which promotes renewable energy use and generation to meet national targets and section 28 guidelines Wind Energy Development Guidelines (2006) and the <i>Interim Guidelines for Planning authorities on Statutory Plans</i> (2017) the Planning Authority is required to</p> <p>(a) reinstate the renewable energy targets with Section 11.4 of the Draft Plan which sets out measurable objectives to generate electricity demand from renewables for the County by 2030 consistent with the Climate Act Plan</p> <p>(b) Amend Material Alterations to the 'draft wind energy strategy' as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retain Lingaun Valley area as 'not normally permissible' in accordance with Section 3.1.1.1 of the CE Report 	<p>Templeorum hills. In the Chief Executive's report, it was recommended to change one of these areas, the Lingaun Valley, from 'Open for Consideration' to 'Not Normally Permissible'. For the Castlebanny and Templeorum hills areas, the Chief Executive's Report had noted the concerns expressed, but in order to comply with Government policy on renewable energy targets, and in line with the strategic approach to the Wind Energy Strategy, the Chief Executive recommended that the designation of the areas as "Acceptable in Principle" be retained. However, at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designations of those two areas as follows;</p> <p>Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'</p> <p>Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible'</p> <p>Under the Proposed Material Alterations, the total area of land designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' was calculated as being 35,000 hectares. This was a reduction of approx. 15,000 hectares from the Draft Plan, and this led to the removal of specified targets relating to wind energy.</p> <p>Recommendations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Targets will be reinstated. See Section 3.4 Renewable Energy Targets. b) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lingaun Valley will be retained as 'Not Normally Permissible' as per Section 3.1.1.1 CE's report (June 2021)

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reinstate areas designated at Templeorum/Mullenbeg to "Acceptable in Principle" in accordance with the Draft Wind Energy Strategy • Reinstate areas designated at Castlebanny to "Acceptable in Principle" in accordance with the Draft Wind Energy Strategy • OPW <p>(c) Delete "Acceptable in Principle" in Section 11.5.2 'Small scale wind development projects' under subsection (d)</p> <p>(d) Indicate how the development plan will contribute to meeting national renewable energy targets, including specific targets in megawatts for wind energy potential in the County, to fully implement the Specific Planning Policy Requirement in the Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change</p> <p>3. Economic Development</p> <p>The Planning Authority is required to revise policy 15 (S.5.4.7 of the Draft Plan) to ensure that a mechanism provides for the preparation of the retail strategy in advance of the Ferrybank/Belview LAP ensuring that the spatial and land use strategy for the LAP is appropriately informed by the multi-authority joint retail strategy.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Templeorum hills area to be redesignated as 'Acceptable in Principle' in accordance with Draft Wind energy Strategy • Castlebanny area to be redesignated as 'Acceptable in Principle' in accordance with Draft Wind energy strategy. • Three smaller areas to the south of the County will be redesignated as 'Acceptable in Principle' in accordance with the Draft Wind Energy Strategy <p>c) Small scale wind energy developments will be considered in both the 'Acceptable in Principle' and 'Open for Consideration' areas. Removing 'Acceptable in Principle' from this section would further limit wind energy potential for the county.</p> <p>d) See Section 3.4 Targets.</p> <p>3. Economic Development</p> <p>It is noted that in the Draft Waterford City & County Development Plan, which is currently on public display from the 18th June until the 30th August, there is an objective as follows:</p> <p><i>"W City Retail 08: Within one year of adoption of the Waterford City and County Development Plan we will carry out a Joint Retail Strategy for the Waterford Metroolitan Area</i></p>

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		<p>4. Zoning Amendment</p> <p>The Office notes the proposed amendment to change the zoning objective of land on the Dublin Road at Lacken ref KK-162-148 from Existing Residential to General Business.</p> <p>The OPR considers that the zoning proposed in the material alteration would undermine the potential to achieve compact growth and sequential development without evidence to support the requirement for additional land for General Business.</p> <p>Having regard to national policy objectives supporting compact growth and sequential development in particular NPO 3c, NPO 16 and NPO 72a the zoning change is not justified and is contrary to the policy objectives 4B & 4D of the Draft Plan.</p> <p>The Planning Authority is required to remove this zoning change at lands at Lacken and change from General Business to Existing Residential.</p>	<p><i>Strategic Plan area in conjunction with Kilkenny County Council and the Southern Regional Assembly in accordance with the Retail Planning Guidelines (2012) and the Waterford MASP policy Objective 19"</i></p> <p>Having regard to the retail hierarchy of the Draft Waterford City & County Development Plan and its designation of Ferrybank Centre Abbeylands as a district centre in line with the Kilkenny City & County retail hierarchy it is considered that completion of the joint retail strategy in advance of the review of the Ferrybank/Belview LAP and its incorporation into the development plan is not critical and therefore the recommendation to provide for the joint retail strategy in advance is not considered necessary at this stage.</p> <p>4. Zoning Amendment</p> <p>There is significant land zoned for business/commercial uses within the city both centrally and within the suburbs (Ormonde retail Park, Hebron retail Park, Woodies, Abbey Quarter, McDonagh Junction, Old Mart site, Cillin Hill) to accommodate commercial uses. Residential development at this location will support objectives of compact growth, in particular National Planning Objective (NPO) 3c and NPO 16 & 72a.</p>

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			<p>Recommendation: In line with the recommendation of the OPR and in line with the recommendation of the Chief Executive's report on the Draft of June 2021 it is recommended that the proposed material alteration, to change from Existing residential to General business is removed, and the lands revert to Existing Residential.</p>
<p>Section 2B: Submissions from Prescribed Bodies</p>			
<p>KK-C176-1</p>	<p>EPA</p>	<p>1.The EPA attached a guidance document '<i>SEA of Local Authority Land Use Plans – EPA Recommendation and Resources.</i>' This document sets out the EPA key recommendations for integrating environmental considerations into Local Authority Land Use Plans.</p> <p>2.KCC should ensure that the Plan, as amended, is consistent with the need for proper planning and sustainable development.</p> <p>3.KCC should consider the need to align with national commitments on climate change mitigation and adaptation, as well as incorporating any relevant recommendations in sectoral, regional and local climate adaptation plans.</p> <p>4.KCC should ensure that the alterations are consistent with key relevant higher-level plans and programmes</p> <p>5. Where further changes to the Plan are proposed, these should be screened for likely significant effects in accordance with SEA Regulations</p> <p>6. Once the Plan is adopted KCC should prepare a SEA statement which should be sent any environmental authority</p>	<p>1. Noted.</p> <p>2. Noted.</p> <p>3. Noted, see Section 3.4 Renewable Energy Targets.</p> <p>4. The Plan is aligned with National Policy.</p> <p>5. Noted, this will be done.</p> <p>6. Noted, this will be done.</p>

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		consulted during the SEA process and the listed environmental authorities.	
KK-C176-3	TII	<p>1.TII acknowledge the proposal to amend Objective 5Z</p> <p>2.TII would welcome consultation on the preparation of the Joint or Multi-Authority Retail Strategy</p> <p>3. TII requests that an appropriate cross reference with policies included in Section 12.11.10.1 relating to policy on access to national roads is included as a Policy Objective in Section 7.8 of the Development Plan prior to adoption</p> <p>4. TII would welcome consultation on the proposed cycling and walking (greenway) network across County Kilkenny as there may be implications for the national road network.</p> <p>5. TII recommends reviewing the proposed text amendment to Section 9.2.1.1 to ensure consistency with the requirements of Article 6(3) and Article 6(4) of the Habitats Directive</p>	<p>1. Noted</p> <p>2. It is an objective (5Z) to undertake a Joint or Multi-Authority Retail Strategy for the Waterford Metropolitan Area. The widest possible consultation will be considered.</p> <p>3. Recommendation: Amend text of Proposed Material Alterations to Section 7.8 as follows: Further guidance is given in Section 13.22 Rural housing and Section 12.11.3 Access to National Roads <i>and Section 12.11.10.1 Roads Development Management Requirements.</i></p> <p>4. It is an Objective (8Ka) to investigate the potential of a Greenway from Kilkenny to Castlecomer and Ballyragget and onwards to Portlaoise. This objective should be reworded to read Co. Laois in place of Portlaoise. The broadest possible consultation will be considered. Recommendation: Reword Objective 8Ka to read Co. Laois in place of Portlaoise.</p> <p>5. Include the following additional text in Section 9.2.1.1: Visitor and Habitat Management The Council will seek to control the impact of visitor numbers in order to avoid significant effects including loss of habitat and disturbance, including ensuring that new any projects, such as greenways, are a suitable distance from ecological sensitivities, such as riparian zones. <i>As per Section 1.3, all projects that may</i></p>

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		<p>6. TII request the inclusion of an objective in relation to renewable energy development grid connection proposals and in relation to safeguarding the national road network, indicating that grid connection routing options should be developed to safeguard the strategic function of the national road network in accordance with Government policy by utilising alternative available routes</p> <p>7. TII is available to assist the Council in the development of proposals for consideration as 'exceptional circumstances' cases in accordance with the provisions of the DECLG Guidelines.</p> <p>8. TII supports the proposed amendments to Section 12.11.7</p> <p>9. TII request all references to the NRA and NRA DMRB be updated to TII and TII Publications (Standards) prior to adoption of the Plan</p> <p>10. TII welcomes consultation on the Kilkenny Local Transport Plan</p> <p>11. The development of the major expansion greenfield employment areas located south of the N10 shall be undertaken complementary to safeguarding the strategic</p>	<p><i>have a significant effect on any Natura 2000 site, either individually or in combination with other plans or projects, shall be subject to appropriate assessment of its implications for the site in view of the site's conservation objectives.</i> Control measures may include ensuring that new projects and activities are a suitable distance from ecological sensitivities. Visitor/Habitat Management Plans will be required for projects as relevant and appropriate.</p> <p>6. The plan already references "the Spatial Planning and National Road Guidelines (2012)" which safeguards the strategic function of National Roads. Also, development proposals will be forwarded to TII for comment.</p> <p>7. Noted.</p> <p>8. Noted</p> <p>9. References to NRA and NRA DMRB in Section 12.11.10.1, 13.22.1 and 13.24.5 will be replaced with TII Publications (Standards)</p> <p>10. Noted</p> <p>11. Noted</p>

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		function of the national road network in the area in accordance with the provisions of official policy. This should be addressed in the context of integrated and comprehensive transport and active travel solutions developed as part of the LTP process and not independent.	
KK-C176-8	OPW	<p>This submission relates to the Flood Risk Assessment of the Plan.</p> <p>1.It is recommended that the Sequential Approach be applied to all stages of the planning and development management process.</p> <p>2.The OPW acknowledge that National Indicative Fluvial Mapping outputs were not available at the time of development of this Plan, but are now available on request to Local Authorities.</p> <p>3. The OPW advises that clear commitments and strategic objectives regarding flood risk and the principles of the Guidelines are included in the Draft Plan.</p> <p>4.The OPW welcomes the inclusion of Section 5.1.1 Consideration of Climate Change, under Section 5 Zoning Review. However, the Guidelines recommend that the SFRA provide guidance on the likely applicability of different SuDS techniques for managing surface water run-off at key development sites, and also that the SFRA identifies where integrated and area based provision of SuDS and green</p>	<p>1.Noted. The SFRA sets out that the Sequential Approach will be applied.</p> <p>2.Noted. Section 3.1.2 of the SFRA notes that the NIFM will be taken into account once available. This mapping will be incorporated as part of any Variation to the Plan once adopted.</p> <p>3.Noted, these are set out in Section 10.2.6 of the Plan.</p> <p>4.Noted, a SUDS Strategy will be carried out as part of the first Variation to the Plan. The Planning Authority understands national guidance on SUDS is forthcoming, and will have regard to any such national guidance document.</p> <p>5. This relates to a change in zoning at the Canal Walk in Kilkenny, arising from a Direction of the Members. In response to Submission to the Draft ref. KK-C162-88, the Chief Executive's Report had recommended no change to the zoning, however at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021 the Members resolved that the zoning be changed to 'Existing Residential'. The Council acknowledges that highly vulnerable development (such as a house) is not appropriate in Flood Zone A and B, and less vulnerable development is not appropriate in</p>

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		<p>infrastructure are appropriate in order to avoid reliance on individual site by site solutions.</p> <p>5. The OPW comment on the proposal to rezone land at the Canal Walk in Kilkenny City from Amenity / Green Links / Biodiversity Conservation / Open Space / Recreation to Existing Residential (Submission to the Draft ref. KK-C162-88). The OPW recommends that the Justification Test in the SFRA be updated or a separate Justification Test for the undeveloped site be carried out by Kilkenny County Council.</p>	<p>Flood Zone A, unless a Plan-making Justification Test completed by the local authority can be satisfied. A Plan-making Justification Test was carried out, see Appendix A, and the proposed zoning failed the Test. This zoning change does not satisfy the Justification Test.</p> <p>Recommendation: As the proposed Existing Residential zoning on this site failed the Plan-making Justification Test, this site should revert to the zoning proposed under the Draft Plan as Amenity / Green Links / Biodiversity Conservation / Open Space / Recreation.</p>
KK-C176-9	Department of Transport	<p>1.The following policy developments which are relevant to accessible and integrated public transport should be reflected in the proposed Plan and in particularly Chapter 6 'Sustainable Mobility and Transport'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Whole of Government" National Disability Inclusion Strategy (NDIS) 2017-2022 -Include in Section 12.2 • United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) – Include in Section 12.2 • DMURS Interim Advice Note – Covid-19 Pandemic Response – Include in Section 12.10 • Local Link Rural Transport Programme Strategic Plan 2018 to 2022 <p>2. Request to proposed amended text in Section 12.3.2 as follows:</p>	<p>1.The Proposed Material Alterations document proposes the inclusion of "Whole of Government" National Disability Inclusion Strategy (NDIS) 2017-2022 and United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) in Section 12.2.</p> <p>Recommendation: Include reference to DMURS Interim Advice Note – Covid-19 Pandemic Response in Section 12.10 Universal Design.</p> <p>Local Link Transport Programme Strategic Plan 2018-2022 is discussed in Section 12.7.1.3 of the Draft Plan</p>

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		<p>'<u>accessible</u> public transport infrastructure is to be considered as part of all significant residential or commercial developments. It will be a requirement to show how the need for <u>accessible</u> public transport infrastructure is considered and evaluated as part of the proposed development'.</p>	<p>2. Recommendation: Amend proposed text in Section 12.3.2 as requested to include the word "<i>accessible</i>".</p>
<p>KK-C176-24</p>	<p>ESB</p>	<p>1.ESB welcomes the proposed amendments that aim to reinforce climate change policies and wish to highlight opportunities to further strengthen the final Plan.</p> <p>2.In response to the proposed amended text in Section 10.3.2 the ESB notes the necessary framework for ensuring that all necessary standards are met are set out in the NPF, RSES, Local Development Plans and the Strategic Infrastructure Act</p> <p>3.Policy Statement on the Strategic Importance of Transmission and Other Energy Infrastructure (July 2012) emphasises the strategic and economic importance of investment in networks and energy infrastructure.</p> <p>4. Careful consideration needs to be given to the zoning of areas for renewable energy potential based on high level analysis. In the context of evolving wind turbine technology, an over reliance on wind speed data may have the effect of seriously diminishing the land area potentially available for wind energy projects, with consequent implications for the non-attainment of binding national obligations in relation reducing emissions. Therefore, wind speed is a constraint that should be assessed on a project by project basis.</p>	<p>1. Noted.</p> <p>2. Noted.</p> <p>3. Noted.</p> <p>4.A strategic approach was taken to the formulation of the Wind Energy Strategy. A sieve mapping approach was applied, layering all the various designations to establish areas of sensitivity, against the areas of highest wind speed. This follows the methodology as set out in the Government's <i>Wind Energy Development Guidelines</i>, 2006, and the revisions thereof, which states as Step 1: "<i>Assess the areas of wind potential ranging from areas with extensive wind energy</i></p>

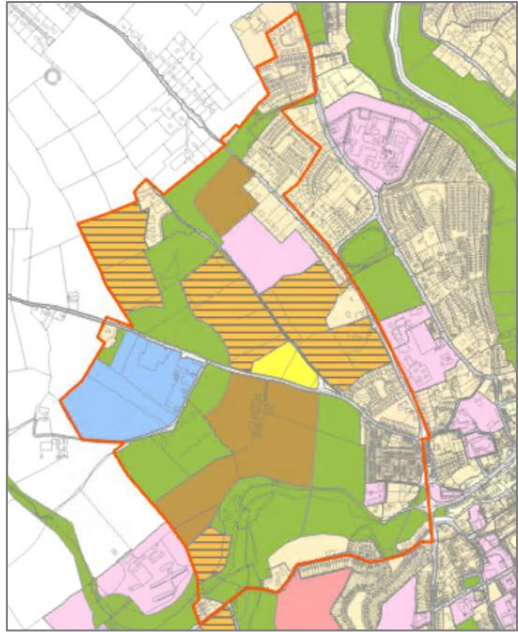
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		5. ESB supports the inclusion of additional text in Section 11.11 'Energy Storage', Section 12.4 'Modal Share Targets for County Kilkenny' and Section 12.14 'Electric Vehicles'	<i>resources to lesser wind resources using SEAI's Wind Atlas for Ireland</i> ". 5. Noted.
KK-C176-49	Eirgrid	<p>1. Proposed text changes in Section 10.3.2 is noted. Eirgrid understands the principle underlying these insertions and will always examine the feasibility for using existing infrastructure and avoiding Special Areas if Conservation</p> <p>2. It is noted new infrastructure may be required in the lifetime of this Plan to ensure a safe secure and reliable supply of electricity to Kilkenny</p> <p>3. Eirgrid will examine the feasibility of avoiding SACs; where it is not possible to avoid a SAC Eirgrid will explain this as part of its substantive reasons for the route design.</p>	<p>1. Noted</p> <p>2. Noted</p> <p>3. Noted</p>
KK-C176-50	Southern Regional Assembly	<p>1. Any amendment to the Settlement Hierarchy including the identification of a large number of Rural Nodes should satisfy the requirements of RPO 3</p> <p>2. Objective 4La Section 4.7 – Any analysis and resulting changes to specific local objectives for rural towns and villages should be consistent with RPO 3</p> <p>3. The proposed Core Strategy population allocations do not include any additional allocations to the four District Towns</p> <p>4. Amendment to Section 5.2.5 is noted. The Planning Authority should ensure the proposed amendment is consistent with RPO</p> <p>54</p>	<p>1. It is considered RPO 3 is satisfied.</p> <p>2. Any objectives will be consistent with RPO 3 see response to submission KK-C176-58 (OPR) in relation to objective 4La.</p> <p>3. The allocations for the four district towns are considered appropriate having regard to the level of service in these settlements.</p> <p>4. Noted.</p>

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		<p>5. Amendments in Section 5.3 is noted however it is not clear if additional non-material alterations have captured the recommendation on placemaking for enterprise development as requested in Rec No. 20.0 of SRA submission to Draft Plan</p> <p>6. Unclear as to whether the Retail Strategy has been amended to fully incorporate the policy context provided by the RSES and Waterford MASP including a reference to Ferrybank as part of the Waterford Metropolitan Area as per Rec No. 22.0 of SRA submission to Draft Plan.</p> <p>7. It is noted that targets for renewable energy generation have been deleted from Chapter 11. Concern is expressed at the extent which the proposed Material Alterations would weaken the Development Plan response to Climate Change.</p> <p>8. Rec no. 28 of SRA submission to the Draft Plan requested Section 12.7.1.3 to be strengthened to include a specific objective to develop the services of the Local Link Rural Transport Programme further, this has not been included.</p> <p>9. It is not clear if the Retail Strategy incorporates the policy context provided by the RSES and Waterford MASP (Rec no. 45.0).</p> <p>10. The use of the symbol 'Significant Key Town' on Figure 4.2 County Core Strategy, for the part of Waterford Metropolitan Area in Co. Kilkenny would seem to be added in error.</p>	<p>5. Placemaking is also considered for enterprise development and this is ensured in all the mixed use and commercial areas where urban design principles apply.</p> <p>6. The policy context of the RSES and the Waterford MASP is provided for including Ferrybank as part of the Waterford Metropolitan Area.</p> <p>7. The renewable energy amendments are dealt with in detail under the OPR submission ref. KK-C176-58.</p> <p>8. The linking of transport and land use is a central theme of the Draft Plan and there are policies and objectives in Section 12 of the Plan and this is considered sufficient to support the roll out of rural link services. The Council are not the statutory authority for transport infrastructure.</p> <p>9. The policy context of the RSES and the Waterford MASP is provided for including Ferrybank as part of the Waterford Metropolitan Area.</p> <p>10. Recommendation: Correction of Figure 4.2 will be made.</p>

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		11.Following observations/recommendations not addressed in the Proposed Material Alterations 12.0, 14.0, 15.0, 17.0, 18.0, 19.0, 21.0, 25.0, 30.0, 31.0	11.It is considered that the Plan addresses the observations and recommendations made by the Regional Assembly at Draft Plan stage in a sufficient manner. Many of the issues have been addressed by way of non material amendments to the Draft Plan.
KK-C176-55	Development Applications Unit (DAU)	1.Many of the alterations in Chapter 9 are welcome. 2.In the next iteration of the Appropriate Assessment, the Department recommends that more weight is given to the interaction between the emphasis on increased tourism and outdoor recreation and the protection of designated sites. Tourism and outdoor recreation should also be looked at in relation to biodiversity in general.	1. Noted. 2. Noted, this will be done.
KK-C176-70	Department of Education	1.The DOE notes the proposals to increase population projections in Kilkenny City, Ferrybank, Callan and Thomastown. These changes could have some impact in school capacity, the requirements as identified in the Department's submission to the Draft Plan remain unchanged. 2. Notes and welcome amendment in Section 6.13.2 3. Amendment in Section 2.2.3 could lead to an increase in proposed housing units from 476 to 553 units and could impact on school capacity. 4.Amendment of Table 2.3 (Development Criteria for land in Breagagh Valley) to include a school campus in parcel L is	1. Noted. 2. Noted. 3. Noted, the Council liaises with the Department of Education on a regular basis with a view to ensuring sufficient school places are available. This will continue as neighbourhoods are developed. 4. Noted.

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		welcomed. This development would cater for the ongoing needs of the area as it is developed.	
KK-C176-628	Irish Water	1.Section 10.1.4 – of the four settlements mentioned where there are water capacity deficiencies, Irish Water will consider on a case by case basis solutions from developers who wish to provide wells as a temporary solution for their proposed development.	1. Recommendation: Include following text in Section 10.1.4: <i>Of the four settlements mentioned Irish Water will consider on a case by case basis solutions from developers who wish to provide wells as a temporary solution for their proposed development.</i>

Section 2C: Other Submissions

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KK-C176-2	Pat & Mark Cantwell	<p>1. The Loughmacask Masterplan boundary line was incorrectly marked on the Draft Plan and is also incorrectly marked on the amended Draft Plan</p> <p>2. The Planning Authority is requested to correct the amended Draft Development Plan Zoning map to correct the boundary line of the Draft Loughmacask Masterplan and to extend the "existing residential" zoning to the full extent of the farm buildings and associated working areas.</p>	<p>1.& 2.</p> <p>The line of the masterplan area in the Draft Plan will be aligned with the recommended zoning in the material amendments and the development boundary for the City. The alignment is shown in the extract from the zoning map below.</p> 

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KK-C176-4	Sinead O'Malley Coillte Renewable Energy	<p>This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and contends that:</p> <p>1.the Proposed Materially Altered Draft Plan undermines the potential contribution of the Proposed Plan to meeting national on-shore renewable energy targets under the Climate Action Plan 2019, specifically as it:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contravenes the Specific Planning Policy Requirement (SPPR) No. 2 of the <i>Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change</i>² as it fails to set out clearly how its policies and designations for renewable energy will contribute to the national renewable energy targets; • Removes the policy support for onshore wind • Fails to provide an adequate land area in the 'Acceptable in Principle' category to deliver a sufficient wind energy quantum and removes specific targets in the Draft Plan to generate 100% / 70% of electricity demand from renewables by 2030. (The submission includes an analysis of the potential wind energy development in MW on 	<p>1. SPPR No. 2 states: <i>"It is a specific planning policy requirement under Section 28(1C) of the Act that, in making, reviewing, varying or amending a development plan, or a local area plan, with policies or objectives that relate to wind energy developments, the relevant planning authority shall carry out the following:... (2) Indicate how the implementation of the relevant development plan or local area plan over its effective period will contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy and climate change mitigation, and in particular wind energy production and the potential wind energy resource (in megawatts)"</i>. Sections 11.4 and 11.5.1 of the Draft Plan had set out the megawatts required to meet the 100% renewable energy target. At the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designations of two large areas (known as Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills) as follows;</p> <p>Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'</p> <p>Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible'.</p>

² *Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change, 2017*

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		<p>lands designated 'Acceptable in Principle', and submits that it equates to circa 86MW);</p> <p>2. An adequate Strategic Environmental Assessment of the Proposed Plan has not been undertaken, and questions whether an assessment of the objectives of the Proposed Plan, including standards applied to the open to consideration lands and material amendments relating to wind energy, has been undertaken comprehensively in relation to climate and in consideration of the Proposed Plan's interactions with other relevant policies and programmes, namely national policy and the climate action charter.</p>	<p>These significant changes reduced the capability of the Council to meet its 100% target, and the Proposed Material Alterations reflected that. The Proposed amended Strategic Aim states "<i>Strategic Aim: To promote and facilitate all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change.</i>"</p> <p>The total area of land designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' was calculated as being 35,000 hectares.</p> <p>Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Draft Plan to 'Acceptable in Principle' and include text in relation to the potential wind energy contribution of the various Strategy areas, expressed in MW. (See Submission KK-C176-58 OPR and Section 3.1 Castlebanny and Section 3.3 Templeorum)</p> <p>2.A comprehensive Strategic Environmental Assessment, or SEA, was carried out of the Proposed Materially Altered Plan. Chapter 6 of the Environmental Report (ER) provides an assessment of the Likely Significant Effects on the Environment, addressing every Strategic Aim and Development Objective in the Plan. This included an assessment of all revised Strategic Aims and Development objectives included in the Proposed Material alterations.</p>

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		<p>3. The submission seeks the removal of the constraints on the 'Open for Consideration' category, as the inclusion of impractical rules for 'Open for Consideration' areas, which are not evidence based, in effect stymie wind development, and therefore the Strategy fails to implement national policy and targets in the Climate Action Plan 2019 and does not fulfil the County Council's commitments under the Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities;</p>	<p>3. It is noted that this specific issue was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, however, the impacts of the changes to the Wind Energy Strategy do affect the ability of the County to meet its renewable energy targets, therefore this issue can be considered here. A strategic approach has been taken to the identification of areas for all scales of wind energy developments, in line with the Draft <i>Wind Energy Development Guidelines</i>³. This has identified the areas of the county most suitable for large scale wind energy developments, based on a number of factors. It is considered prudent to take a strategic approach, and encourage large scale developments into those areas designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', rather than allowing a widespread dispersal of large scale developments. Smaller scale developments can also apply in the areas designated as 'Open for Consideration'. The threshold of 5MW is in line with both the Planning and Development Regulations⁴ threshold for an Environmental Impact Assessment, and also the current Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS), for which the threshold generation for the Community category is less than 5MW. The Council's commitments under the Climate Action Plan and</p>

³ Government of Ireland, Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019

⁴ Schedule 5, Part 2, 3 Energy Industry, (i) Installations for the harnessing of wind power for energy production (wind farms) with more than 5 turbines or having a total output greater than 5 megawatts.

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		<p>4. The submission seeks the reinstatement of the Castlebanny area as 'Acceptable in Principle', as was the case in the Draft, as the changes to the Wind Energy Strategy (WES) in Appendix 5, including to the methodology used, has serious potential implications for a live wind energy application being considered by the Bord as Strategic Infrastructure Development (SID), the Castlebanny Wind Farm (ABP Ref. PA10.309306). They submit that there is no technical or environmental basis for the proposed material change to the Castlebanny site and it is seriously flawed and needs to be reconsidered.</p> <p>5. The submission seeks the reinstatement of areas with site threshold of less than 180 hectares as 'Acceptable in Principle', as the Proposed change to 'Open for Consideration' is without rationale, as sites >125ha are viable for wind development. This contravenes national and regional policy to support renewables and the Council's own policies on Climate mitigation. The submission includes an analysis of the potential wind energy development in MW on lands designated 'Acceptable in Principle', and submits that when a minimum land parcel size of 180ha is applied, their technical analysis suggests the potential wind energy of the Proposed Plan is 0 MW.</p>	<p>Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities are set out in Chapter 2 Climate Change of the Plan.</p> <p>4. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny. The application referred to is currently being assessed by An Bord Pleanála, who have the right to grant a permission for a proposed SID development, even if it materially contravenes the development plan. The <i>Chief Executive's Report on Submissions to the Draft Plan</i> did not propose any change from the designation of the Castlebanny area. However, at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designation of this area from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'.</p> <p>Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny area as was set out in the Draft Plan as 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>5. This Proposed Material Alteration arose following a large number of submissions in relation to Corbally Wood, in the southwest of the county. Corbally Wood was designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' in the Draft Plan. Having examined the features of Corbally Wood, and its scale, it was noted in the <i>Chief Executive's Report on Submissions to the Draft Plan</i>, that "the small size of the area designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' around Corbally Wood renders it unsuitable for large scale wind energy developments,</p>

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			<p><i>therefore this area will be redesignated as 'Open for Consideration'.</i></p> <p>The Proposed Material Alterations clarified this further, stating in Appendix K, Section 4.1, <i>"Where less extensive, isolated pockets of highest wind speeds are identified (<180 hectares), these are excluded from consideration"</i>. This change does not imply that a minimum site area is applicable on lands designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', but that pockets of strategy areas would be identified as 'Open for Consideration' rather than 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>Having regard to the OPR's recommendation (See Sub. 58) in relation to these pockets of strategy areas, it is now proposed to revert to 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>Recommendation: Redesignate three pockets of strategy areas of less than 180 hectares, that were subject to a material alteration, from 'Open for Consideration' to 'Acceptable in Principle'. (See Submission KK-C176-58 from the OPR)</p>
KK-C176-5	Keep Ireland Open	1.Support for the proposed amendments.	1.Noticed, no change recommended. See Section 4.
KK-C176-6	Nitrofert Ltd	1.Notes Section 13.25 Seveso Sites does not include Nitrofert site at Raheen, Rosbercon, New Ross which has been certified by the HSA as an Upper Tier Seveso Site	1. Recommendation: Although Section 10.2.10, which deals extensively with the SEVESO sites lists the Nitrofert site at Raheen, Rosbercon, New Ross, it is recommended

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			that reference to the site also be included in Section 13.25 as the third site.
KK-C176-7	Richard Walsh, Tullahought Community Development Ltd	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and acknowledges and supports the amendments made to the Draft Plan in relation to the Strategy in the Tullahought and Lingaun Valley Area.	1.Noticed. See Section 3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought.
KK-C176-10	Alexander Walsh	<p>This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Welcomes the changes to the Wind Strategy, in particular the change in designation at Castlebanny from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open to Consideration'. However, the submission seeks that the area merits "Exclusion Area" status given the number of turbines in the area already. 2. Requests that this Chief Executive's Report clarifies whether the correct interpretation of the revised strategy for Castlebanny means that any windfarm proposal in the area in excess of 4 wind turbines with a capacity in excess of 5MW or with turbine heights over 65m would be a material contravention of the Development Plan. 3. Expresses concern at the Coillte submission which seeks to alter aspects of the Wind Energy Section of the Draft Plan and the associated Strategy which are not proposed to be altered in the proposed Amendments. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Noticed, see Section 3.1 Castlebanny. As set out in Appendix K, the sieve mapping approach is based on assigning weightings to the various layers, and an exclusion weighting was applied to various landscape areas due to their sensitivity. An exclusion weighting was also applied to some specified settlements. It is considered that the presence of existing wind farms in an area is not sufficient grounds for an exclusion weighting. 2.As set out in Section 11.5.2, "large scale wind energy developments, will, in usual circumstances, only be considered in 'Acceptable in Principle' areas". See Section 3.1 for a discussion of the Castlebanny area. 3.This is a reference to Submission KK-C176-48, and the responses to the issues raised in that submission are available below.

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KK-C176-11	Joey Shore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-12	Victoria O' Donoghue	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-13	Eric Dignan on behalf of 'Save our Hills' Community Group	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and is from Save Our Hills, a group representing residents of Johnswell, Castlewarren and the surrounding areas concerned with protecting and preserving the unique scenic beauty of the area and sustaining our rural environment and habitats. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-14	Neal McCormack	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the conservation of our unique biodiversity and landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-15	Stephen Keogh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-16	Christopher O'Keefe	1.Request to extend Grassland hazardous site consultation buffer.	1. The SEVESO consultation buffers are determined by the Health and Safety Authority (HSA) and not the County Council. No change recommended.
KK-C176-17	Christopher O'Keefe	<p>1. There is no Screening for Appropriate Assessment document. Screening for Appropriate Assessment should be published alongside plans.</p> <p>2. Screening must be carried out even if a NIS has been submitted. In the absence of this exercise an appropriate assessment carried out by the competent authority on the basis of a NIS submitted by the applicant may be flawed.</p> <p>3. I note a document called SEA Environmental Report (incl. Strategic Flood Risk Assessment) & Natura Impact Report, this does not include a document Screening for Appropriate Assessment.</p> <p>I note; Section 3: Screening for Appropriate Assessment, page 4 NATURA IMPACT REPORT. If this is the purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA), it is flawed.</p> <p>4. The purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA) fails to incorporate the Office of the Planning Regulator's Appropriate Assessment Screening for Development Management Practice Note (PN01) .</p>	<p>1. The documentation that was placed on public display (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>2. Screening has been undertaken. The Screening decision, the determination, addresses the reasons why Stage 2 AA (Natura Impact Report) has been undertaken.</p> <p>3. The documentation that was placed on public display (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA. Screening has been undertaken. The Screening decision, the determination, addresses the reasons why Stage 2 AA (Natura Impact Report) has been undertaken.</p> <p>4. The documentation that was placed on public display (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The OPR's guidance note, which relates to Development Management and provides information and guidance on screening for appropriate assessment during the planning</p>

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		<p>5. The purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA) does not identify the likely effects, excluding mitigation, that could arise.</p>	<p>application process (and not the Plan-preparation process), has been considered in the undertaking of the AA.</p> <p>5. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>Material Alterations are being proposed to a Draft Plan that is already the subject of a Stage 2 AA process, with mitigation already included within the Draft Plan.</p> <p>As identified in the Screening for AA Determination: The existing Draft Plan has already been informed by a Stage 2 AA and a Natura Impact Report has been prepared. As part of that AA, it was identified that the Plan may, if unmitigated, have significant effects on 10 (no.) European sites. Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provisions for sectors such as climate action, economic development and tourism, housing and community development, open space and recreation, heritage and culture, infrastructure and environment, renewable energy and movement and mobility; and • Loading pressures from the operational phase of developments – these sources could result in habitat loss,

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			<p>disturbance effects, interactions with water quality and habitat fragmentation.</p> <p>Mitigation was integrated into the Draft Plan that allowed the Natura Impact Report to conclude that the Draft Plan is not foreseen to give rise to any significant effects on designated European sites, alone or in combination with other plans or projects. The Draft Plan and AA Natura Impact Report were placed on public display and submissions were invited. Some of these submissions resulted in Material Alterations being proposed to the Plan. Taking into account the measures that have been already integrated into the Draft Plan that provide for and contribute towards environmental protection, environmental management and sustainable development, the AA process identified that there is no potential for effects to arise on the integrity of any European site as a result of the Proposed Material Alterations.</p> <p>However, the AA screening process takes into account the need to undertake Stage 2 AA when mitigation is being proposed. As certain Proposed Material Alterations could be considered to be mitigation in relation to Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites, further to the mitigation already integrated into the Draft Plan, the AA process identified that it would be prudent to undertake Stage 2 AA.</p>

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		<p>6. Excluding all mitigation, the plan as a whole, including all Material Alterations, should be screened for Appropriatet Assessment (AA) and identify the likely effects, excluding mitigation, that could arise. Mitigation should be considered at Stage 2.</p> <p>7. The purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA) does not determine which of those Qualifying Interests/conservation objectives could be affected by the plan. The purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA) does not assess the likely significant</p>	<p>6. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>As identified in the Natura Impact Report: <i>This report is part of the ongoing and overall AA process that is being undertaken alongside the preparation of the Plan. All Plan and AA related documentation will be considered by the planning authority in advance of the adoption of the Plan and a final AA Determination will be undertaken by the planning authority at adoption. An AA Conclusion Statement will be prepared following adoption, which will detail the AA process undertaken for the Plan.</i></p> <p>7. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>As identified in the Screening for AA Determination:</p>

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		<p>direct and indirect effects on the conservation objectives of the sites.</p> <p>Without the above information, the Screening determination undertaken prior to the report is flawed.</p>	<p><i>The existing Draft Plan has already been informed by a Stage 2 AA and a Natura Impact Report has been prepared. As part of that AA, it was identified that the Plan may, if unmitigated, have significant effects on 10 (no.) European sites. Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>• Provisions for sectors such as climate action, economic development and tourism, housing and community development, open space and recreation, heritage and culture, infrastructure and environment, renewable energy and movement and mobility; and</i> <i>• Loading pressures from the operational phase of developments – these sources could result in habitat loss, disturbance effects, interactions with water quality and habitat fragmentation.</i> <p><i>Mitigation was integrated into the Draft Plan that allowed the Natura Impact Report to conclude that that the Draft Plan is not foreseen to give rise to any significant effects on designated European sites, alone or in combination with other plans or projects. The Draft Plan and AA Natura Impact Report were placed on public display and submissions were invited. Some of these submissions resulted in Material Alterations being proposed to the Plan. Taking into account the measures that have been already integrated into the Draft Plan that provide for and</i></p>

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		<p>8. Kilkenny County Council is failing to maintain or restore the favourable conservation condition of the Annex I habitat(s) and/or the Annex II species.</p>	<p><i>contribute towards environmental protection, environmental management and sustainable development, the AA process identified that there is no potential for effects to arise on the integrity of any European site as a result of the Proposed Material Alterations. However, the AA screening process takes into account the need to undertake Stage 2 AA when mitigation is being proposed. As certain Proposed Material Alterations (see table below) could be considered to be mitigation in relation to Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites, further to the mitigation already integrated into the Draft Plan, the AA process identified that it would be prudent to undertake Stage 2 AA.</i></p> <p>8. The AA process seeks to ensure that there will be no significant adverse effects to European sites in view of the conservation objectives. It is not the remit of Kilkenny County Council to implement the conservation objectives of European sites or in fact Annex I habitat(s) and/or Annex II species; therefore, this comment is not relevant in the context of the assessment process. Nonetheless, measures have already been integrated into the Draft Plan that will contribute towards the protection and management of annexed habitat types and species.</p> <p>9. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and</p>

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		<p>9. The purported Screening for Appropriate Assessment (AA) does not contain a comprehensive assessment of habitat types and species.</p> <p>10. Kilkenny County Council should develop conservation management plans for environmental sites.</p>	<p>Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>10. As detailed proposed under Section 9.2.1.1 European sites:</p> <p><i>Integrated Management Plans for European Sites</i></p> <p><i>The Council shall be available to engage with the NPWS with the objective of achieving the preparation and implementation of Integrated Management Plans, informed as appropriate by comprehensive species surveys, for sites within the County, including those which are designated for Kingfisher and Otter. Such plans would establish the necessary conservation measures for European sites in line with the Habitats Directive and be integrated with other plans and programmes, with the intention that such plans are practical, achievable and sustainable and have regard to all relevant ecological, cultural, social and economic considerations, including those of local communities.</i></p> <p>11. Incomplete sentences. Refer to responses above.</p>

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		<p>11. Natura Impact Report The purported Natura Impact Report (NIR) fails to identify (sic) is failing to maintain or restore the favourable conservation condition of the Annex I habitat(s) and/or the Annex II species.</p> <p>12. The purported Natura Impact Report (NIR) fails to assess all Material Alterations. The plan as a whole, including all Material Alterations, requires being subjected to a Stage 2 Natura Impact Assessment (NIR) including in-combination effects.</p> <p>For the purposes of Article 6(3) of the Habitats Directive that Stage 2 AA is required for plan as a whole and not just certain Proposed Material Alterations.</p>	<p>12. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>As identified in the Natura Impact Report: <i>This report is part of the ongoing and overall AA process that is being undertaken alongside the preparation of the Plan. All Plan and AA related documentation will be considered by the planning authority in advance of the adoption of the Plan and a final AA Determination will be undertaken by the planning authority at adoption. An AA Conclusion Statement will be prepared following adoption, which will detail the AA process undertaken for the Plan.</i></p>

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		<p>13. Plans must clearly demonstrate they would not singularly or cumulatively adversely affect the ecological integrity of any European Site.</p>	<p>13. As identified in the Natura Impact Report for the Draft Plan: <i>Having incorporated mitigation measures, it is concluded that the Draft Kilkenny City and County Development Plan 2021-2027 is not foreseen to give rise to any significant effects on designated European Sites, alone or in combination with other plans or projects . This evaluation is made in view of the conservation objectives of the habitats or species, for which these sites have been designated. The AA process is ongoing and will inform and be concluded at adoption of the Plan.</i></p> <p>As identified in the Screening for AA Determination: <i>Taking into account the measures that have been already integrated into the Draft Plan that provide for and contribute towards environmental protection, environmental management and sustainable development, the AA process identified that there is no potential for effects to arise on the integrity of any European site as a result of the Proposed Material Alterations.</i></p> <p>As identified in the Natura Impact Report: <i>This report is part of the ongoing and overall AA process that is being undertaken alongside the preparation of the Plan. All Plan and AA related documentation will be considered by the planning authority in advance of the adoption of the Plan and a final AA Determination will be</i></p>

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		<p>14. The purported Natura Impact Report (NIR) does not determine which of those Qualifying Interests/conservation objectives could be affected by the plan.</p> <p>15. The purported Natura Impact Report (NIR) does not assess the likely significant direct and indirect effects on the conservation objectives of the sites.</p>	<p><i>undertaken by the planning authority at adoption. An AA Conclusion Statement will be prepared following adoption, which will detail the AA process undertaken for the Plan.</i></p> <p>14. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The assessment process follows a source pathway receptor model; this process includes the identification of all qualifying interests and special conservation interests as well as their conservation objectives. This process is detailed in the NIR which assesses the potential effects arising from the implementation of the plan. The mitigation measures contained within the Plan are sufficient to ensure that there are no likely significant effects on European sites.</p> <p>15. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura</p>

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			<p>Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>As identified in Section 3 "Screening for Appropriate Assessment" of the Natura Impact Report:</p> <p><i>Taking into account the measures that have been already integrated into the Draft Plan that provide for and contribute towards environmental protection, environmental management and sustainable development, it is advised that there is no potential for effects to arise on the integrity of any European site as a result of the Proposed Material Alterations.</i></p> <p><i>However, the AA screening process takes into account the need to undertake Stage 2 AA when mitigation is being proposed. As certain Proposed Material Alterations (see Table 3.2) could be considered to be mitigation in relation to Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites, further to the mitigation already integrated into the Draft Plan, it would be prudent to undertake Stage 2 AA on these Alterations.</i></p> <p>The assessment process follows a source pathway receptor model; this process includes the identification of all qualifying interests and special conservation interests as well as their conservation objectives. This process is detailed in the NIR which assesses the potential effects arising from the implementation of the plan. The mitigation</p>

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		<p>16. The purported Natura Impact Report (NIR) discusses Potential Effects rather than precise details.</p>	<p>measures contained within the Plan are sufficient to ensure that there are no likely significant effects on European sites. As the assessment focuses on process-based curtailment and the identification of sources for effects the consideration objectives of each site are identified not to be at risk due to the process followed. This is detailed in the NIR placed on public display.</p> <p>16. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Proposed Material Alterations (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA.</p> <p>As identified in Section 3 "Screening for Appropriate Assessment" of the Natura Impact Report states:</p> <p>Taking into account the measures that have been already integrated into the Draft Plan that provide for and contribute towards environmental protection,</p>

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		<p>17. There is no evidence and justification for methodology for changes to Draft Wind Strategy Areas Map, and no assessment of the impacts of both the changes or the grid connections required. The Proposed Plan threatens Mountnugent/Johnswell area without adequate justification or environmental assessment.</p> <p>18. Kilkenny County Council is failing to maintain or restore the favourable conservation condition of the Annex I habitat(s) and/or the Annex II species.</p>	<p>environmental management and sustainable development, it is advised that there is no potential for effects to arise on the integrity of any European site as a result of the Proposed Material Alterations.</p> <p>However, the AA screening process takes into account the need to undertake Stage 2 AA when mitigation is being proposed. As certain Proposed Material Alterations (see Table 3.2) could be considered to be mitigation in relation to Plan elements that could potentially affect the integrity of European sites, further to the mitigation already integrated into the Draft Plan, it would be prudent to undertake Stage 2 AA on these Alterations.</p> <p>17. The documentation that was placed on public display alongside the Draft Plan (the AA Natura Impact Report and Screening for AA Determination) as part of a previous round of public consultation (December 2020-March 2021), during which submissions were invited, addresses all relevant requirements in relation to AA. The Mountnugent/Johnswell area occurs away from European sites. Measures have already been integrated into the Draft Plan that will provide for the protection of European sites.</p> <p>18. The AA process seeks to ensure that there will be no significant adverse effects to European sites in view of the conservation objectives. It is not the remit of Kilkenny County Council to implement the conservation objectives</p>

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		<p>19. There is no comprehensive assessment of habitat types and species.</p>	<p>of European sites or in fact Annex I habitat(s) and/or Annex II species; therefore, this comment is not relevant in the context of the assessment process. Nonetheless, measures have already been integrated into the Draft Plan that will contribute towards the protection and management of annexed habitat types and species.</p> <p>19. The assessment process follows a source pathway receptor model; this process includes the identification of all qualifying interests and special conservation interests as well as their conservation objectives. This process is detailed in the NIR which assesses the potential effects arising from the implementation of the plan. The mitigation measures contained within the Plan are sufficient to ensure that there are no likely significant effects on European sites. As the assessment focuses on process-based curtailment and the identification of sources for effects the consideration objectives of each site are identified not to be at risk due to the process followed. This is detailed in the NIR placed on public display.</p> <p>Furthermore, the plan does not provide for any physical structure and merely provides a framework to facilitate development; outlining the policies and objectives for which all lower tiered plans, programmes and projects must comply. Detailed assessment of habitats is inappropriate at this level and the Plan contains adequate</p>

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		<p>20. Kilkenny County Council should develop conservation management plans for environmental sites.</p>	<p>measures to ensure such detail will be considered at the appropriate point in future development works.</p> <p>20. The AA process seeks to ensure that there will be no significant adverse effects to European sites in view of the conservation objectives, it is not the remit of Kilkenny County Council to develop or implement conservation management plans for environmental sites.</p> <p>As detailed proposed under Section 9.2.1.1 European sites: <i>Integrated Management Plans for European Sites</i> <i>The Council shall be available to engage with the NPWS with the objective of achieving the preparation and implementation of Integrated Management Plans, informed as appropriate by comprehensive species surveys, for sites within the County, including those which are designated for Kingfisher and Otter. Such plans would establish the necessary conservation measures for European sites in line with the Habitats Directive and be integrated with other plans and programmes, with the intention that such plans are practical, achievable and sustainable and have regard to all relevant ecological, cultural, social and economic considerations, including those of local communities.</i></p>

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		21. Following the adoption of the Plan and the conclusion of the AA process, there should be public consultation.	21. Public consultation is provided for by the Planning and Development Act at Draft Plan and Proposed Material Alteration stages.
KK-C176-18	Save the South Leinster Way Group	<p>1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration' as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides for sufficient wind energy generation to support energy targets • Preserves sensitive biodiversity and safeguards protected habitats, landscape and groundwater. • South Kilkenny is ideally placed for solar energy generation. <p>2.The submission refers to the following text in Section 11.5.2(d): "<i>Large-scale wind energy developments will, in usual circumstances, only be considered in 'Acceptable in Principle' areas, and considers the 'in usual circumstances' is unnecessary and ambiguous.</i></p>	<p>1. Noted, see Section 3.1 Castlebanny.</p> <p>2. This text was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, and therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process.</p>
KK-C176-19	Sean Kennedy	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-20	Catriona Carroll	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.

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		suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.	
KK-C176-21	Marion Acreman (MacDonagh Junction)	<p>1. This submission seeks that the Plan gives adequate and appropriate recognition of the existing MacDonagh Junction Site in phase 1 retail development and acknowledge the role it has played and continues to play in the enhancement of City Centre facilities and the vitality and viability of surrounding areas. The submission identifies that MacDonagh Junction remains incomplete and requires further retail and mixed use advancement specifically by the development of the Retail/Mixed Use Opportunity Site (a brownfield site located to the rear of the Centre).</p> <p>It further identifies that it has both the capacity and the identified need to cater for a portion of that retail floor space requirement in the immediate term.</p> <p>It requests a provision in the Plan that would re-instate retail phasing and support appropriate completion of the Retail / Mixed Use opportunity site development at MacDonagh Junction, subject to review.</p> <p>2. It requests the following text to be inserted into Section 3.4.5 (Vol 2) and Section 5.4.7 (Vol 1) as follows:</p> <p>In line with the sequential approach to retail developments the first-choice location for significant</p>	<p>1. McDonagh Junction is identified as a retail opportunity site in the Retail Strategy and is identified as such in the text of the Draft City and County Development Plan. It is considered that the Draft Plan gives adequate and appropriate recognition of the existing MacDonagh Junction Site. Section 3.4.2 identifies that as an opportunity site the sequential approach is excluded in its selection. As there are three identified opportunity sites at various stages of development it is considered that a defined phasing is not required.</p> <p>In this context it is considered that a phasing of the opportunity sites is not required.</p> <p>2. Recommendation: Amend Section 3.4.5 (Vol 2) and Section 5.4.7 (Vol 1) as follows:</p> <p>In line with the sequential approach to retail developments the first-choice location for significant retail development is the Abbey Quarter followed <i>and</i> by MacDonagh Junction. followed by the former Mart Site <i>The Mart site can be considered following completion of the masterplan exercise required by Objective C2E.</i></p>

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		retail development is the Abbey Quarter followed and by McDonagh Junction followed by the former Mart Site	
KK-C176-22	Eoghan Kinane	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the conservation of our unique biodiversity and landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-23	Eric Dignan on behalf of 'Save our Hills' Community Group	1.This submission relates to the Castlewarren area and seeks further protection of this area, namely the addition of a policy statement in Section 9.2 Natural Heritage & Biodiversity in relation to landscape character, with specific reference to areas of special landscape value and high sensitivity including Brandon Hill uplands, the Castlecomer Plateau and the River Valley areas. The submission contends that the that the scenic uplands and valleys, and views of Castlewarren/Johnswell have been overlooked in the Plan. 2.The submission is concerned about the designation of this area as 'Acceptable in Principle' for Wind Energy.	1.Policies in relation to landscape character are set out in Section 9.2.12 Landscape, and this sets out that Brandon Hill Uplands and the River Valley areas have been identified as being highly scenic and visually pleasing. Sensitive features of the Castlecomer Plateau are offered protection through the policies included in Section 9.2.12.15 Landscape Character Sensitivity. The views and prospects to be protected are included in Appendix H to the Plan, and these include a number of views in the northeast of the county. 2.See section 3.2 Johnswell/Castlewarren.

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KK-C176-25	Tara Heavey	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-26	Stephen Keogh on behalf of David Dillon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-27	Stephen Keogh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-28	Stephen Keogh on behalf of Pat Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-29	Stephen Keogh on behalf of Jason Quinn	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-30	Pol Brennan	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the conservation of our unique biodiversity and landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-31	Cliona Geraghty	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.

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		Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape.	
KK-C176-32	Damien Brett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-33	Martin Matthews	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-34	Phil Brennan (Hughes)	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-35	Clive and Martina Jackson	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Request to rezone land at Granges Road/Dunningstown Road to Residential. 2.This submission supports a number of sections in the Draft Plan. 	<p>The land is currently zoned "Community Facilities". The submission introduces a new request for zoning, which, by virtue of Section 13(6) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) cannot be dealt with at this late stage of plan making.</p> <p>2.Noted.</p>
KK-C176-36	Joanne Moore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-37	David O'Connor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-38	Ciara Boutros	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-39	Caiseal Conservation Committee	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and acknowledges and supports the amendments to the Draft Plan in relation to the designation of the area surrounding the Knockroe passage Tomb.	1. Noted, See Section 3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought.
KK-C176-40	Frank Walsh, Lingaun Valley Tourism	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and acknowledges and supports the amendments to the Draft Plan in relation to the designation of the area surrounding the Lingaun Valley.	1. Noted. See Section 3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought.
KK-C176-41	Vanessa Cullen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-42	Dean Lannon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-43	Richard Walsh	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and acknowledges and supports the amendments to the Draft Plan in relation to the designation of the area surrounding the Lingaun Valley.	1. Noted. See Section 3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought.
KK-C176-44	Padraig Moore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-45	Joe Bolger	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-46	Declan Brassil on behalf of Whisperview Trading, and Carriganog Racing	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and 1.Welcomes the addition of Section 11.5.3.12 Effects on Equine Facilities. 2. Welcomes the designation of the Lingaun Valley and the large area east and west of Knockroe and the hills north and east of Templeorum as 'Not Normally Permissible' for the purposes of the Wind Strategy.	1.Noticed. 2.Noticed, See Section 3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought.
KK-C176-47	Darren Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-48	Coillte	1.Coillte welcomes the proposed amendment to Objective 5C. 2.Request to amend the proposed amended text of Section 5.2.6 as follows: Further work on opening up the Woodstock Estate as a recreational amenity in conjunction with Coillte will be carried out over the coming years. The potential for forest-based tourist accommodation will also be examined. Develop [omit]. [include] KCC will consider development proposals for appropriately scaled forest-based tourism accommodation at Woodstock that is sensitive to the woodland environment and can ensure	1. Noted. 2. Recommendation: It is recommended that the text in section 5.2.6 be changed as follows: The potential for forest-based tourist accommodation will also be examined. Develop [omit]. [include] KCC will <i>consider development proposals for appropriately scaled forest-based tourism accommodation at Woodstock that is sensitive to the woodland environment and can ensure appropriate protection of the important natural, cultural</i>

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		<p><i>appropriate protection of the important natural, cultural and architectural features of Woodstock House and setting."</i></p> <p>3. Request to amend the proposed amended text of Section 5.2.7 as follows: 5.2.7 Camping/Glamping sites [include] <i>and Forest-based Tourism Accommodation.</i></p> <p>While the Council considers that camping sites should be located on appropriately zoned land within or adjacent to existing settlements, small scale camping sites [include] <i>and/or the permanent structures associated with forest-based tourism accommodation</i>, may be appropriate in a rural location removed from any settlement where they support rural tourism initiatives developed upon rural enterprise, natural heritage assets and outdoor recreational activities."</p>	<p><i>and architectural features of Woodstock House and setting."</i></p> <p>3. The proposed text changes to Section 5.2.7 already include for Forest Based Tourism Accommodation. The text does not exclude permanent structures and therefore is considered robust enough to accommodate appropriate forest-based tourism accommodation. No change recommended.</p>
KK-C176-51	Josie & Tom Grace	<p>1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the conservation of our unique biodiversity and landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.</p>	<p>1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.</p>
KK-C176-52	Richard Walshe on behalf of	<p>1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and notes that Springfield Renewables Ltd has specific commercial interests in the Castlebanny Wind Farm. They</p>	<p>1. SPPR No. 2 states: "<i>It is a specific planning policy requirement under Section 28(1C) of the Act that, in making, reviewing, varying or amending a development</i></p>

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	Springfield Renewables	<p>support the submission from Coillte (C176-4). They express serious concerns with the Wind Energy Strategy and contend that:</p> <p>1. The Proposed Materially altered Draft Plan fails to implement national policy and targets in the Climate Action Plan 2019, and doesn't recognise the Climate Action and Low Carbon Development (Amendment) Bill 2021, specifically as it;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contravenes the Specific Planning Policy Requirement (SPPR) No. 2 of the <i>Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change</i> and fails to set out clearly how its policies and designations for renewable energy will contribute to the national renewable energy targets. • Fails to provide an adequate land area in the 'Acceptable in Principle' category to deliver a sufficient wind energy quantum and removes specific targets in the Draft Plan to generate 100% / 70% of electricity demand from renewables by 2030. This position has even further deteriorated in light of the material alterations to the Draft Plan. 	<p><i>plan, or a local area plan, with policies or objectives that relate to wind energy developments, the relevant planning authority shall carry out the following:... (2) Indicate how the implementation of the relevant development plan or local area plan over its effective period will contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy and climate change mitigation, and in particular wind energy production and the potential wind energy resource (in megawatts)".</i> Sections 11.4 and 11.5.1 of the Draft Plan had set out the megawatts required to meet the 100% renewable energy target. At the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designations of two large areas (known as Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills) as follows;</p> <p>Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'</p> <p>Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible'.</p> <p>These wholesale changes reduced the capability of the Council to meet its 100% target, and the Proposed Material Alterations reflected that. The Proposed amended Strategic Aim states "<i>Strategic Aim: To promote and facilitate all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change.</i>"</p>

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		<p>2. The submission seeks the removal of the constraints on 'Open for Consideration' as the inclusion of impractical rules, which are not evidence based, in effect stymie wind development, and therefore the Strategy fails to implement national policy and targets in the Climate Action Plan 2019 and does not fulfil the County Council's commitments under the Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities. The term 'Open for Consideration' is an oxymoron; as it is already predefined and limited to a maximum of 5 turbines, maximum 5 MW capacity and maximum hub height of 65m.</p>	<p>The total area of land designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' was calculated as being 35,000 hectares.</p> <p>Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Chief Executive's report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) to 'Acceptable in Principle' and reinstate the target. (See Section 3.1 Castlebanny and Section 3.3 Templeorum, and Section 3.4 Targets)(See also KK-176-58 (OPR)</p> <p>2. It is noted that this specific issue was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, however, the impacts of the changes to the Wind Energy Strategy do affect the ability of the County to meet its renewable energy targets, therefore this issue can be considered here. A strategic approach has been taken to the identification of areas for all scales of wind energy developments, in line with the Draft <i>Wind Energy Development Guidelines</i>⁵. This has identified the areas of the county most suitable for large scale wind energy developments, based on a number of factors. It is considered prudent to take a strategic approach, and encourage large scale developments into those areas designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', rather than allowing a widespread dispersal of large scale</p>

⁵ Government of Ireland, Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019

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		<p>3. An adequate Strategic Environmental Assessment of the Proposed Plan has not been undertaken.</p> <p>4. The material alterations to the Draft Plan introduced additional landscape sensitivities as a factor to be considered in respect of wind energy development: elevated steep-sided ridgelines, slopes in excess of 10 degrees and elevations greater than 200m. There is no objective reasoning or references to landscape studies that recommend such limits put forward to support the inclusion of these proposed additional considerations.</p>	<p>developments. Smaller scale developments can also apply in the areas designated as 'Open for Consideration'. The threshold of 5MW is in line with both the Planning and Development Regulations⁶ threshold for an Environmental Impact Assessment, and also the current Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS), for which the threshold generation for the Community category is less than 5MW. The Council's commitments under the Climate Action Plan and Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities are set out in Chapter 2 Climate Change of the Plan.</p> <p>3. A comprehensive Strategic Environmental Assessment, or SEA, was carried out of the Proposed Materially Altered Plan. Chapter 6 of the Environmental Report (ER) provides an assessment of the Likely Significant Effects on the Environment, addressing every Strategic Aim and Development Objective in the Plan. This included as assessment of all revised Strategic Aims and Development objectives included in the Proposed Material alterations.</p> <p>4. Text (policy and development management standards) in relation to Areas of Greater sensitivity was included in Section 9.2.12.5 Landscape Character Sensitivity. The 2014 Plan included a map of these sensitive landscape features, in Figure 8.3 Landscape sensitivities. The proposed</p>

⁶ Schedule 5, Part 2, 3 Energy Industry, (i) Installations for the harnessing of wind power for energy production (wind farms) with more than 5 turbines or having a total output greater than 5 megawatts.

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		<p>The inclusion of these additional landscape criteria directly contravenes the independent landscape assessment undertaken previously by CAAS Environmental Services for Kilkenny County Council which is still relevant.</p> <p>5.The submission seeks the reinstatement of the Castlebanny lands as 'Acceptable in Principle' as the Castlebanny site represents one of best remaining suitable sites for wind energy development in County Kilkenny and indeed the whole of Ireland because of its length, width and altitude, proximity to available electrical grid and the remoteness of this large-scale site. The proposed alterations have no basis for a key policy reversal - solely based on minority objector submissions. An extensive consultation process was undertaken over a year period. The project does have significant local support (the silent majority).</p> <p>6. The changes to the Wind Energy Strategy (WES) in Appendix 5, including to the methodology used, has serious potential implications for a live wind energy application being considered by the Bord as Strategic Infrastructure Development (SID), the Castlebanny Wind Farm (ABP Ref. PA10.309306). They submit that there is</p>	<p>Material alteration was to add these areas of sensitivity to Figure 9.3. As set out in Appendix K, these sensitivity factors are not a prohibition, but the visual impact of any large scale wind energy development in proximity to these features of sensitivity needs to be addressed in a Landscape Impact Assessment report (as set out in Appendix 3 of the Draft Wind Energy Development Guidelines, and any revisions thereof).</p> <p>Recommendation: Delete reference to 'Draft' in section referenced above.</p> <p>5.See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.</p> <p>6. The application referred to is currently being assessed by An Bord Pleanála, who have the right to grant a permission for a proposed SID development, even if it materially</p>

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		<p>no technical or environmental basis for the proposed material change to the Castlebanny site and it is seriously flawed and needs to be reconsidered.</p> <p>7.The submission seeks the reinstatement of the three areas as 'Acceptable in Principle' which were removed on the basis of a 180ha viable land size, as sites >125ha are viable for wind development. The submission includes an analysis of the potential wind energy development in MW on lands designated 'Acceptable in Principle', and submits that when a minimum land parcel size of 180ha is applied, their technical analysis suggests the potential wind energy of the Proposed Plan is 0 MW.</p>	<p>contravenes the development plan. The <i>Chief Executive's Report on Submissions to the Draft Plan</i> did not propose any change from the designation of the Castlebanny area. However, at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designation of this area from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'.</p> <p>Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny area in line with the recommendation set out in the Chief Executive's report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) as 'Acceptable in Principle'. (See also KK-176-58 (OPR))</p> <p>7.This Proposed Material Alteration arose following a large number of submissions in relation to Corbally Wood, in the southwest of the county. Corbally Wood was designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' in the Draft Plan. Having examined the features of Corbally Wood, and its scale, it was noted in the <i>Chief Executive's Report on Submissions to the Draft Plan</i>, that "the small size of the area designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' around Corbally Wood renders it unsuitable for large scale wind energy developments, therefore this area will be redesignated as 'Open for Consideration'".</p> <p>The Proposed Material Alterations clarified this further, stating in Appendix K, Section 4.1, "Where less extensive, isolated pockets of highest wind speeds are identified (<180</p>

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			<p><i>hectares), these are excluded from consideration". This change does not imply that a minimum site area is applicable on lands designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', but that pockets of strategy areas would be identified as 'Open for Consideration' rather than 'Acceptable in Principle'. Having regard to the OPR's recommendation (See KK-176-58 (OPR)) in relation to these pockets of strategy areas, it is now proposed to revert to 'Acceptable in Principle'.</i></p> <p>Recommendation: Redesignate three pockets of strategy areas of less than 180 hectares, that were subject to a material alteration, from 'Open for Consideration' to 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p>
KK-C176-53	Pauline O'Connell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-54	Eamon Colman	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-56	Antoin O'Neill	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.

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KK-C176-57	Jamie & Marie Fennelly	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the conservation of our unique biodiversity and landscape whilst enabling Kilkenny to become a leader in suitable renewable energy sources for the County, such as solar technology.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-59	Noel O'Keefe	1.This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and welcomes the designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this will ensure the protection of the landscape.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.
KK-C176-60	Seskin Wind Farm	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and notes that the Seskin Wind Farm at Ballyragget is not located in an area of 'Acceptable in Principle' which results in the wind farm being restricted to 5MW. The submission requests that the maximum capacity be increased to at least 10MW to make this relatively small project commercially viable.	1.Seskin, Ballyragget, is located in an area designated as 'Open for Consideration' in the Wind Energy Strategy. This area was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process. The threshold of 5MW for this area is in line with both the Planning and Development Regulations ⁷ threshold for an Environmental Impact Assessment, and also the current Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS), for which the threshold generation for the Community category is less than 5MW.

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KK-C176-61	Denis Devane on behalf of Wind Energy Ireland	<p>This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and contends that:</p> <p>1.The Proposed Materially Altered Draft Plan undermines the potential contribution of the Proposed Plan to meeting national on-shore renewable energy targets under the Climate Action Plan 2019, specifically as it:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contravenes the Specific Planning Policy Requirement (SPPR) No. 2 of the <i>Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change</i>⁸ as it fails to set out clearly how its policies and designations for renewable energy will contribute to the national renewable energy targets; • Removes the policy support for onshore wind • Fails to provide an adequate land area in the 'Acceptable in Principle' category to deliver a sufficient wind energy quantum and removes specific targets in the Draft Plan to generate 100% / 70% of electricity demand from renewables by 2030. (The submission includes an analysis of the potential wind energy development in MW on lands designated 'Acceptable in Principle', and submits that it equates to circa 86MW); 	<p>1. SPPR No. 2 states: <i>"It is a specific planning policy requirement under Section 28(1C) of the Act that, in making, reviewing, varying or amending a development plan, or a local area plan, with policies or objectives that relate to wind energy developments, the relevant planning authority shall carry out the following:... (2) Indicate how the implementation of the relevant development plan or local area plan over its effective period will contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy and climate change mitigation, and in particular wind energy production and the potential wind energy resource (in megawatts)".</i> Sections 11.4 and 11.5.1 of the Draft Plan had set out the megawatts required to meet the 100% renewable energy target. At the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, the Members resolved to change the designations of two large areas (known as Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills) as follows;</p> <p>Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'</p> <p>Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible'.</p> <p>These significant changes reduced the capability of the Council to meet its 100% target, and the Proposed Material Alterations reflected that. The Proposed amended</p>

⁸ *Interim Guidelines for Planning Authorities on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change, 2017*

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		<p>2. An adequate Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) of the Proposed Plan has not been undertaken, and questions whether an assessment of the objectives of the Proposed Plan, including standards applied to the open to consideration lands and material amendments relating to wind energy, has been undertaken comprehensively in relation to climate and in consideration of the Proposed Plan's interactions with other relevant policies and programmes, namely national policy and the climate action charter.</p> <p>3. The submission seeks the removal of the constraints on the 'Open for Consideration' category, as the inclusion of impractical rules for 'Open for Consideration' areas, which</p>	<p>Strategic Aim states <i>"Strategic Aim: To promote and facilitate all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change."</i></p> <p>The total area of land designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' was calculated as being 35,000 hectares.</p> <p>Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Chief Executive's report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) to 'Acceptable in Principle' and reinstate the target for renewable energy. (See Section 3.1 Castlebanny and Section 3.3 Templeorum and Section 3.4 Targets.) See submission KK-176-58 (OPR)</p> <p>2.A comprehensive SEA was carried out of the Proposed Materially Altered Plan. Chapter 6 of the Environmental Report (ER) provides an assessment of the Likely Significant Effects on the Environment, addressing every Strategic Aim and Development Objective in the Plan. This included as assessment of all revised Strategic Aims and Development objectives included in the Proposed Material alterations.</p> <p>3. It is noted that this specific issue was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process.</p>

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		<p>are not evidence based, in effect stymie wind development, and therefore the Strategy fails to implement national policy and targets in the Climate Action Plan 2019 and does not fulfil the County Council's commitments under the Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities.</p> <p>4.The submission notes the re-designation of areas with site size of less than 180 hectares from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'. The submission states that their analysis suggests sites >125ha are viable</p>	<p>A strategic approach has been taken to the identification of areas for all scales of wind energy developments, in line with the Draft <i>Wind Energy Development Guidelines</i>⁹. This has identified the areas of the county most suitable for large scale wind energy developments, based on a number of factors. It is considered prudent to take a strategic approach, and encourage large scale developments into those areas designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', rather than allowing a widespread dispersal of large scale developments. Smaller scale developments can also apply in the areas designated as 'Open for Consideration'. The threshold of 5MW is in line with both the Planning and Development Regulations¹⁰ threshold for an Environmental Impact Assessment, and also the current Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS), for which the threshold generation for the Community category is less than 5MW. The Council's commitments under the Climate Action Plan and Climate Action Charter for Local Authorities are set out in Chapter 2 Climate Change of the Plan.</p> <p>4. This Proposed Material Alteration arose following a large number of submissions in relation to Corbally Wood, in the southwest of the county. Corbally Wood was designated as</p>

⁹ Government of Ireland, Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019

¹⁰ Schedule 5, Part 2, 3 Energy Industry, (i) Installations for the harnessing of wind power for energy production (wind farms) with more than 5 turbines or having a total output greater than 5 megawatts.

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		<p>for wind development. This contravenes national and regional policy to support renewables and the Council's own policies on Climate mitigation. The submission includes an analysis of the potential wind energy development in MW on lands designated "Acceptable in Principle", and submits that when a minimum land parcel size of 180ha is applied, their technical analysis suggests the potential wind energy of the Proposed Plan is 0 MW.</p>	<p>'Acceptable in Principle' in the Draft Plan. Having examined the features of Corbally Wood, and its scale, it was noted in the <i>Chief Executive's Report on Submissions to the Draft Plan</i>, that "the small size of the area designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' around Corbally Wood renders it unsuitable for large scale wind energy developments, therefore this area will be redesignated as 'Open for Consideration'".</p> <p>The Proposed Material Alterations clarified this further, stating in Appendix K, Section 4.1, "Where less extensive, isolated pockets of highest wind speeds are identified (<180 hectares), these are excluded from consideration". This change does not imply that a minimum site area is applicable on lands designated as 'Acceptable in Principle', but that pockets of strategy areas would be identified as 'Open for Consideration' rather than 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>Having regard to the OPR's recommendation in relation to these pockets of strategy areas, it is now proposed to revert to 'Acceptable in Principle'.</p> <p>Recommendation: Redesignate three pockets of strategy areas of less than 180 hectares, that were subject to a material alteration, from 'Open for Consideration' to 'Acceptable in Principle'. See submission KK-176-58 (OPR)</p>

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KK-C176-62	Pat Brett on behalf of EcoPower Ltd	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and Notes Ecopower's submission to raise the MW capacity of an individual windfarm from 5 to 15 MW in 'Open for Consideration' areas was not accepted as an amendment. The submission requests that the Council considers allowing some flexibility, e.g. allowing a project comprising fewer than 5 turbines to have a 10MW limit in order to enhance the viability of the project. This would also contribute to meeting Government's commitments as set out in the Climate Action and Low Carbon Development (Amendment) Bill 2021.	1. The threshold of 5MW is in line with both the Planning and Development Regulations ¹¹ threshold for an Environmental Impact Assessment, and also the current Renewable Energy Support Scheme (RESS), for which the threshold generation for the Community category is less than 5MW.
KK-C176-63	Philip Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-64	Fiona Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-65	Breda Deasy	1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy and acknowledges the change in designation of Castlebanny as 'Open for Consideration', as this area has more than adequately contributed to wind energy, and should be excluded from wind farm development to protect the sensitive heritage rich landscape.	1. Noted. See Section 3.1 Castlebanny.

¹¹ Schedule 5, Part 2, 3 Energy Industry, (i) Installations for the harnessing of wind power for energy production (wind farms) with more than 5 turbines or having a total output greater than 5 megawatts.

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KK-C176-66	John Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-67	Canice Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-68	Lousie Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-69	Johnny McCabe	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-71	Jennifer Dillon & Michael Tierney	<p>1. This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Castlewarren/Johnswell area. The submission expresses concerns with turbines being located in close proximity to their home as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There may be negative health effects, such as on her daughter who has autism, to sleep patterns and on those with auto immune disease; • They may interfere with their walking and cycling routes; • The area is home to the cycle route from Flagmount, Castlewarren Village, Freneystown, Clara and Johnswell; 	1. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is a school nearby and children will be adversely affected by turbines; • The construction stage of a wind farm could impact on the road network; • The area is home to many Charolais cattle, and is a beautiful natural scenic environment, which may be impacted. • There are heritage features in the area such as Freneystown cemetery and Ballasalla House. <p>2. The submission requests that Castlewarren is officially recognised as a village.</p>	<p>2. Table 4.4 of the Plan sets out the Settlement hierarchy, and includes Castlewarren in the "Rural Nodes and the wider rural area" category.</p>
<p>KK-C176-72</p>	<p>Local Authority Waters Programme</p>	<p>1. The Plan shall have regard to the development of a catchment-based surface water management plan in accordance with Flood Risk Guidelines 2009.</p> <p>2. Where development is proposed, non-nature based solutions to surface water management will only be considered where it is proven that nature based solutions cannot be incorporated or will not provide an adequate solution to the surface water management</p>	<p>1. See reference to SUDS strategy in Submission 8 from the OPW.</p> <p>2. Recommendation: Include the following text in a new bullet point in Section 10.2.7:</p> <p><i>The Planning Authority shall have regard to the development of a catchment-based surface water management plan in accordance with the Flood Risk Guidelines 2009, to facilitate the management of nature-based surface water management in a holistic manner. In all instances where development is proposed, non - nature based solutions to surface water management will only be considered where nature-based solutions cannot be incorporated or will not provide an adequate solution to the surface water management.</i></p>

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KK-C176-73	Máire Troy	<p>1. In relation to the Wind Energy Strategy, the submission seeks the redesignation of the Clara/Frenewstown/Castlewarren area to 'Not Normally Permissible' as it is a highly populated normal agricultural area, with dairy farms in the main.</p> <p>2. The submission seeks that the views to Kilkenny from the Castlewarren/Flagmount ridge be designated as views of special amenity value.</p> <p>3. The submission seeks that the amenity value of the road/circuit from the old Dublin Road up to Castlewarren village and back through Frenewstown, which is used extensively as a walking and cycling route, be recognised and protected.</p> <p>4. The submission requests that Castlewarren is officially recognised as a village.</p>	<p>1. See Section 3.2 Johnswell/Castlewarren.</p> <p>2. The views and prospects to be protected are included in Appendix H to the Plan, and these include a number of views in the northeast of the county, specifically V11 and V13. Views and prospects were not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, and therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process.</p> <p>3. Section 8.3 Trails, Cycleways, Walkways and Linear parks sets out the current walking and cycling routes, which are depicted on Figure 8.1 of the Plan. The old Dublin Road to Carlow is noted as a cycle route. At present, the Castlewarren route is not included. This issue was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration, and therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process.</p>

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			4. Table 4.4 of the Plan sets out the Settlement hierarchy, and includes Castlewarren in the "Rural Nodes and the wider rural area" category.
KK-C176-74	Mary Agar	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-75	Anna Adamczyk	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-76	Seamus Agar	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-77	Leona Amond	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-78	Jamie Agar	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-79	Linda Armitage	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-80	Tom Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-81	Gillian Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-82	Maureen Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-83	Tony Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-84	Michael Boyd	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-85	Mairead Buckley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-86	Bláithín Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-87	Serina Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-88	Noel Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-89	Ruairí Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-90	Marie Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-91	Martin Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-92	Kelly Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-93	Simon Bourke	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-94	Joan Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-95	Ann Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-96	Mary Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-97	David Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-98	William Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-99	SueAnne Brett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-100	Conor Brett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-101	Denis Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-102	Michael Bree	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-103	Kevin Browne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-104	Tom Barrett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-105	Maura Brett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-106	Kevin Barry	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-107	Kieran Brett	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-108	Jim Bolger	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-109	Ray Brophy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-110	Siobhan Bolger	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-111	Gladys Bowles	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-112	Ann Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-113	Tony Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-114	Gerry Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-115	Sean Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-116	J Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-117	Sinead Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-118	Kieran Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-119	Amanda Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-120	Pat Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-121	Joseph Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-122	Ann Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-123	Grace Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-124	Patricia M Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-125	Erika Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-126	Paula Boyd	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-127	Jacinta Barcoe	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-128	Desmond Barry	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-129	Aine Bannon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-130	Pauline Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-131	John Joe Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-132	S. Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-133	Jim Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-134	James Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-135	Andrew Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-136	Isabelle Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-137	Paddy Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-138	Josie Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-139	Ashleigh Boote	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-140	James Boote	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-141	Martha Bolger Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-142	Niamh Bartley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-143	Boru Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-144	Kieran Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-145	Eamon Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-146	Brigid Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-147	Claire Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-148	Charlotte Boote	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-149	Rita Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-150	Seamus Byrne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-151	Thomas Breen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-152	Stephen Barham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-153	Lottie Boote	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-154	Debbie Cantwell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-155	Pat Crotty	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-156	Dermot Cullen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-157	Karl Cummins	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-158	Vicky Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-159	Maura Curran	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-160	Eimear Clarke	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-161	Darragh Cunningham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-162	Andy Cunningham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-163	Lucie Carroll	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-164	John Costigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-165	Pamela Cranley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-166	John Joe Cullen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-167	Noel Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-168	Brendan Cantwell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-169	Barbara Carroll	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-170	Matthew & Anna Corr	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-171	Aedin Collins	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-172	Ann Cody	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-173	Ray Cantwell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-174	George Clinton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-175	Niall Costigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-176	Stasia Costigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-177	Ella Costigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-178	Andrew Cunningham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-179	Breda Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-180	Pauline Connick	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-181	Sean Connick	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-182	Philomena Cunningham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-183	Sharon Callis	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-184	Ian Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-185	Martin Curran	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-186	Gavin Cahill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-187	Harry Coldough	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-188	Ivan Cahill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-189	Hazel Treacy Coleman	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-190	Karina Campion	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-191	Tony Cleere	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-192	Shane Corrigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-193	Yvonne Curran	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-194	Carol Cunningham	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-195	Donal Coyne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-196	Pauline Cass	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-197	Tony Coady	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-198	Philip Cooney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-199	Leo Conway	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-200	Kieran Conway	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-201	James Culleton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-202	Billy Culleton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-203	Kathleen Culleton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-204	Kathleen Culleton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-205	Ann Coldough	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-206	Kathleen C Corry	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-207	Barry Coldough	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-208	Johnathon Chapman	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-209	Bridget Coady	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-210	Helen Coldough	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-211	Andrew Casey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-212	Darren Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-213	Brónagh Cleere	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-214	Hugh Campbell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-215	Gerard Campion	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-216	Elaine Campbell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-217	Boote Clive	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-218	Mary Comerford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-219	Anna Dunphy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-220	Winnie Dillon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-221	Jennifer Dillon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-222	Bernard Dempsey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-223	Kate Doyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-224	Seamus Doyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-225	Claire Dempsey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-226	Linda Dempsey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-227	Therese Drummond	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-228	John Dowling	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-229	Garry Downing	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-230	Justin Duggan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-231	Sinead Doran Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-232	Paul T Doran	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-233	Niall Dignan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-234	Arthur Drohan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-235	Niko Doyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-236	Esther Doyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-237	Denise Delaney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-238	Catriona Duggan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-239	Kathleen Dempsey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-240	Maeve Dineen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-241	Ian Alex Dunne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-242	Katie Dunne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-243	Tom Dillon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-244	Pamela Dawson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-245	Celine Dignan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-246	Therese Dermody	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-247	Damien Dowling	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-248	Yvonne Dempsey Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-249	Breda Deevy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-250	Joseph Dempsey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-251	Eithne Downey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-252	Eric Dignan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-253	Riann Dignan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-254	Ellie Doyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-255	Darena Finan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-256	Michael Fitzgerald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-257	Orla Finlayson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-258	Lee Fairclough	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-259	Patrick Foley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-260	Gemma Fitzpatrick	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-261	Paddy Fox	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-262	Tom Flynn	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-263	Joan Fox	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-264	David Grogan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-265	John Griffith	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-266	Gina Gahan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-267	James Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-268	Anna Gnich	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-269	Aiden Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-270	Mark Gormley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-271	Edward Gormley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-272	Johnny Griffith	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-273	Sam Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-274	John Glennon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-275	Robert Grimley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-276	Marie Grimley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-277	Carol Gorey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-278	Patrick Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-279	Yvonne Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-280	Helena Guilfoyle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-281	Lucy Glendinning	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-282	Carl Giffney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-283	Patricia Gormley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-284	Grainne Gaffney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-285	Marie Gowen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-286	Tom Gormley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-287	Margaret Hutchison	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-288	Edward Hayes	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-289	Paul Horan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-290	Steven Hogan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-291	Aisling Hurley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-292	Roselle Hoyne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-293	Conor Holohan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-294	John Hoyne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-295	Olivia Hutchinson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-296	Tom Hutchinson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-297	Oliver Hutchinson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-298	Mary Holden	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-299	Lillian Holohan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-300	Joyce Horan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-301	David Hanley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-302	Elaine Hanlon	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-303	Aisling Hennessy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-304	Mary Jo Hoyne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-305	Catherine Harkin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-306	Eamon Hayes	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-307	Stephen Hayes	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-308	Serena Hayes	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-309	Kelly Hutchinson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-310	Margaret Hutchinson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-311	Janet Ireland	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-312	Rhonda Johnson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-313	Bill Johnson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-314	Neil Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-315	Róisín Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-316	Karen Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-317	Martin Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-318	Yvonne Kenny	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-319	Conor Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-320	Marie Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-321	Samantha Keogh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-322	Enya Kennedy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-323	Paula Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-324	Paul Kavanagh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-325	Patrick Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-326	Eugene Kenny	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-327	Dermot Kenny	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-328	Roisin Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-329	Laura Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-330	Mary Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-331	Jason Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-332	Amanda Keogh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-333	Maria Korthout	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-334	Jenny Kane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-335	Enya Kennedy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-336	Frances Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-337	Ann Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-338	Lily Kinsella	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-339	Michael Kinsella	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-340	Patrick Keane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-341	Kieran Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-342	Arno Korthout	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-343	Jimmy Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-344	Birdie Keane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-345	Robert Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-346	James Mary Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-347	Seamus Keane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-348	Brigid Kiely	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-349	Jim Kiely	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-350	Horah Kelly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-351	Ann Kealy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-352	Martha Koop	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-353	Michelle Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-354	Andrea Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-355	Noel Lane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-356	Patrick Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-357	Danny Lahart	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-358	David Long	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-359	Susan Lehane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-360	Angela Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-361	Ramie Leahy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-362	Mario Ludwig	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-363	Leighton Loughlin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-364	Mary Lawlor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-365	James Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-366	Joe Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-367	Alan Lawlor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-368	Nicky Lawlor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-369	Josie Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-370	Karina Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-371	Laura Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-372	Elaine Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-373	Michael Langton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-374	Thomas Millar	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-375	Kieran McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-376	Annette McGarry	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-377	Rose Mullally	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-378	Sean McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-379	Victoria Muldowney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-380	Helen Murray	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-381	Noreen Murphy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-382	Eimear Malone	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-383	Eamon Murphy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-384	Luke McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-385	Margaret McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-386	Chloe McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-387	Ian McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-388	Amy McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-389	Kieran McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-390	Sinead Murphy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-391	Jake Malone	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-392	Eimear McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-393	Margaret Moore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-394	Helen Manning	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-395	Joshua Mac Aodha	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-396	Enda McEvoy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-397	Karen Ann Malone	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-398	Angela Malone	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-399	Roisin Millar	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-400	Padraig McCarthy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-401	Cristina Mesa	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-402	Micheal Mac Geraint	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-403	Liam & Veronica Mulhall	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-404	Shane Myles	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-405	Donal Mooney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-406	H.Mooney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-407	Joanne Moore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-408	Jan Murphy	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-409	Anne McInerney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-410	Eoin McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-411	Alex McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-412	Christine Matthews	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-413	Niamh McMullan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-414	Chloe McDonald	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-415	Marie Martin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-416	Antony Morrissey	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-417	Anthony Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-418	Joe Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-419	Agnes Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-420	Patricia Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-421	Larry Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-422	Breda Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-423	Paul Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-424	Tom Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-425	Jimmy Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-426	Lorcan Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-427	Elaine Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-428	Niamh Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-429	Deirdre Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-430	Margaret Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-431	Miriam Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-432	Eoin Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-433	John Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-434	Mikie Maher	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-435	Ciara Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-436	Rachel Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-437	Jack Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-438	Sean Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-439	John Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-440	Elizabeth Graham Nash	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-441	Andrew Nash	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-442	P.Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-443	Michaela Noctor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-444	Brigid Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-445	Brian Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-446	Carolyn Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-447	Marie Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-448	Shane Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-449	Orla Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-450	Amanda Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-451	Cindy Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-452	Loretta Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-453	Ollie Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-454	Elizabeth Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-455	Brendan Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-456	Michael Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-457	Maria Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-458	Annette Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-459	Christopher O'Keefe	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-460	Ellen O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-461	Martin O Connell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-462	Tomas O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-463	Alan O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-464	Padraic O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-465	Debbie Ormsby	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-466	Caroline O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-467	Claire O Regan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-468	Laura O Mahoney	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-469	Kevin O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-470	Siobhan O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-471	John O Shea	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-472	Michael O Farrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-473	Fiona O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-474	Margaret O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-475	Gabrielle O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-476	Paddy O Ceallaigh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-477	Amy O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-478	Ann Marie Osborne	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-479	Eoin O Sullivan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-480	Goretti O Regan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-481	Lisa O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-482	Mark Ormsby	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-483	Tom O Donoghue	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-484	Rebecca O Halloran	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-485	Kieran O Regan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-486	Elaine O Regan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-487	Margaret O Connell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-488	Brigid O Connell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-489	Anthony O Brien	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-490	Paul O Donnell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-491	Shane O Regan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-492	Noel O Donoghue	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-493	Maria O Sullivan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-494	Anne O Connor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-495	Simon O Hara	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-496	Michael O Sullivan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-497	PJ O Neill	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-498	Gudrum O Dywer	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-499	Joan O Sullivan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-500	Eugene O Sullivan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-501	Brian Parle	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-502	Ted Petrie	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-503	Stephen Petrie	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-504	Karly Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-505	Amelia Peart	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-506	Declan Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-507	Michael Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-508	Sarah Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-509	Gary Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-510	Michael Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-511	Linda Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-512	Lourda Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-513	Debbie Parker	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-514	Katherine Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-515	Alice Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-516	Trina Petrie	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-517	Eoghan Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-518	James Powell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-519	Teige Powell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-520	Kate Powell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-521	Aine Prendergast	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-522	Lisa Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-523	Flor Prendergast	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-524	Rory Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-525	Cillian Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-526	Siobhan Power	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-527	Orla Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-528	Darragh Phelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-529	Rita Quinlan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-530	John Rafter	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-531	Abbie Ryan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-532	Alan Rhatigan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-533	Alan Rochford	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-534	Mandy Ryan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-535	Honor Ryan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-536	Gabriela Rothoua	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-537	Harry Reid	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-538	Debbie Rafter	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-539	Boodan Rampersaud	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-540	Joe Shore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-541	Ross Stewart	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-542	Kevin Spratt	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-543	George Sarantis	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-544	Ralph Sheehan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-545	Oliver Sutton	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-546	Charles Shore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-547	Rita Shore	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-548	Alan Smith	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-549	Alan Smith	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-550	Andrea Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-551	Aoife Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-552	Daniel Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-553	Niall Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-554	Ann Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-555	Anna Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-556	Michael Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-557	David Tyrell	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-558	Mark Taylor	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-559	Amy Tallent	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-560	Michael Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-561	Andrea Woodgate	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-562	Kieran Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-563	Martin Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-564	Ann Marie Watkin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-565	Vincent Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-566	Darren Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-567	Billy Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-568	Noel Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-569	Shane Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-570	Janis Woodgate	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-571	Paul Pab Wall	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-572	Kataizyne Walczak	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-573	Andy Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-574	Fran Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-575	Geraldyn White	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-576	Noel Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-577	Catherine Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-578	Loren Wardrop	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-579	Jean Williams	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-580	Stuary Watkin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-581	Adrienne Wallace	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-582	Greg Watkin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-583	Karen Walker	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-584	Conor Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-585	Grainne Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-586	Mary Lousie Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-587	Laura Waters	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-588	Kieran White	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-589	Martina Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-590	Angela Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-591	Daisy Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-592	Gillian Wall	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-593	Euphrasia Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-594	Nicholas Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-595	Eamon Wall	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-596	Martin Whitley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-597	Fiona Whitley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-598	Aoife Whitley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-599	Brenda Whitley	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-600	Glencora Woods	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-601	Mary Lousie Whelan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-602	Richard Walsh	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-603	Vincent Yeates	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-604	Francesca	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-605	Angela Crowson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-606	Carol	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-607	Stephen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-608	Annette Johly	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-609	Jen	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-610	Paul Coogan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-611	Sharon Callis	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-612	Lillian Holohan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-613	Tom Brennan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-614	Martin Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-615	Matthew Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-616	Eamon Bergin	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-617	John Gleeson	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-618	Cuan Dignan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-619	Micheal Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-620	Martin Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-621	Breda Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-622	Kathleen Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-623	James Butler	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-624	Ray Keane	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

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KK-C176-625	Mary Nolan	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-626	Sally Smith	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.
KK-C176-627	Another	This submission relates to the Wind Energy Strategy, and makes specific reference to the Johnswell area. See Section 3.2 Johnswell.	See Section 3.2 Johnswell.

3 Wind Energy Strategy

3.1 Castlebanny

A number of submissions relate to the Castlebanny area, and it is important to note the context for those. The Draft Plan designated this area as 'Acceptable in Principle', and a large number of submissions were received to the Draft, seeking a change in this designation. In response to these submissions, the Chief Executive's Report had noted the concerns expressed, but in order to comply with Government policy on renewable energy targets, and in line with the strategic approach to the Wind Energy Strategy, the Chief Executive recommended that the designation of the area as 'Acceptable in Principle' be retained. However, at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, it was decided by resolution to change the designations of two large areas (known as Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills) as follows;

Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'

Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible' (see Section 3.3)

Having regard to the submissions from the OPR and the SRA, and the Council's obligation to contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy, it is recommended that the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas revert to 'Acceptable in Principle', as was set out in the Draft Plan. This will allow the Council to reinsert its Strategic Aim of providing 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables.

Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Chief Executive's Report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) to 'Acceptable in Principle' and reinsert the strategic aim as follows:

To generate 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables by 2030 by promoting and facilitating all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change.

(See also Section 3.3 Templeorum)

3.2 Johnswell/Castlewarren

A number of submissions raise concerns about the impact of wind energy developments on the Mountnugent/Johnswell/Castlewarren area, which is located in the northeast of the county. The issues raised, and the Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations are as follows:

a) Wind Strategy Designation Issues Raised

The Mountnugent/Johnswell/Castlewarren area should be designated as 'Not Normally Permissible' for wind energy development as:

- This area forms the backdrop for Kilkenny City and is highly visible from the eastern part of the city. There are views from this area of the City, and the converse applies. Wind farms here would affect the entire image and marketing of the "medieval city".

- The Landscape Character Assessment identified the Johnswell/Castlewarren as an “Area of High Amenity” and the Castlecomer Plateau as one of the “high amenity areas”. These should have been included as exclusion areas in the sieve mapping process.
- The Strategy mapping process fails to measure the current and future carbon sink potential of the proposed windfarm sites, including tree lines, hedgerows, and wetlands.
- The Strategy map considered only Freestone Hill as a standalone element, and not its environs which would include its wider setting and backdrop of the Castlewarren / Johnswell hills.
- The area contains significant archaeology and built heritage not least of which is Freestone Hill and the nationally regarded Ballysallagh House and Freneystown cemetery.
- There are no windfarms permissions in this area.
- Turbines may have health implications.

Chief Executive’s Opinion and Recommendations

This Strategy area was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration and therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process. The Wind Strategy took a strategic approach to the identification of suitable areas for wind energy development, and this included consideration of all heritage values including views and landscape quality. The impact on views will be assessed on a case by case basis in the assessment of any wind farm proposal.

The Johnswell/Castlewarren area is part of the Castlecomer Plateau, which is an Upland area as identified in the *Landscape Character Assessment, 2003* (LCA). The LCA does make reference to “Areas of high amenity” however this designation, dating from 2002, was replaced since the 2008 Development Plan, and is no longer a policy consideration.

Freestone Hill is identified as an Archaeological Landscape in Section 9.3.1.1 of the Plan, and the impact of any development on any archaeological landscapes must be assessed as part of any proposal.

b) Specific changes requested to Section 11.5.2(d)

The submissions seek a change in the text in Section 11.5.2(d) as follows: *“Large-scale wind energy developments will, in-usual-circumstances, only be considered in ‘Acceptable in Principle’ areas, as the submission contends that the Draft Wind Strategy Map would result in the almost wholesale opening up of the county to speculative wind farm developers.*

Chief Executive’s Opinion and Recommendations

This text was not subject to a Proposed Material Alteration and therefore in line with Section 12(7)(ad)(ii) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, this cannot be taken into account at this stage in the process.

c) Specific changes requested to the Strategic Aim of Chapter 11

The submissions seek a change to the Strategic Aim of Chapter 11 as follows (proposal in ***bold italics***):

To promote and facilitate all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change ***in suitable locations having due regard for and without significant detriment to existing natural heritage, built heritage, biodiversity and existing residential amenities.***

Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations

It is recommended that this text will be amended as follows;

To generate 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables by 2030 by promoting and facilitating all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change in suitable locations having due regard to natural and built heritage, biodiversity and residential amenities.

d) Methodology for Making of Wind Energy Strategy

- The same methodology used in the 2014 Plan should be followed in this Plan as there have not been any significant changes to justify changing the Strategy areas. Appendix K, and the Wind Strategy map for the entire county should be reconsidered, as the references to the *Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019* have been omitted as part of the Material Alterations, and therefore the Strategy should be in line with the 2006 *Wind Energy Development Guidelines*. This implies that the sieve mapping methodology would result in a Wind strategy map that is the same as the 2014 Wind Strategy map.
- The sieve mapping methodology omits many of the evaluation factors for landscape sensitivities that were included in the previous plan methodology – e.g. “Prominent Ridge Lines / Peaks” & “Settings/backdrops/horizons to centres of population” without any explanation for omission.

Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations

To ensure that policies in the Development Plan would not be superseded upon adoption of the current Draft Wind Energy Development Guidelines, the proposed Material Alterations amended all references from “Draft Wind Energy Development Guidelines” to “*the Government's Wind Energy Development Guidelines¹², and any revisions thereof*”. Therefore it is still appropriate to consider the Draft Guidelines in the making of the Strategy. Notwithstanding the point made, Section 3.5 of the 2006 Guidelines also set out a step by step methodology which is broadly similar to that set out in Section 3.6 of the Draft Guidelines.

The two revised Guidelines on Wind Energy Development, the *Interim Guidelines on Statutory Plans, Renewable Energy and Climate Change* in 2017, and the *Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019* significantly altered the policy context and statutory obligations on Planning

¹² Government of Ireland, Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019

authorities for the making of a Wind Strategy. In addition to this altered policy context, updated data on wind speeds became available, and thirdly, changes in wind energy technology were taken into account in the current Strategy. The methodology followed in both Strategies was broadly similar (See Section 3.5 of the 2006 Guidelines and Section 3.6 of the Draft Guidelines), but the consideration of the factors set out above resulted in a different Wind Strategy map.

The 2014 Strategy only examined areas with wind speeds of 8 metres per second or greater, and each of these areas was then further assessed to determine its suitability for wind energy development. Having regard to the changed policy context, the current Strategy examines the county as a whole, and the landscape sensitivities across the county, as designated in the Development Plan. Settlements of greater than 1,500 are also excluded, with a 500m buffer. Ridge lines and peaks are identified on Figure 9.3 Landscape Sensitivities in Chapter 9 Heritage and the visual impact of any large scale wind energy development in proximity to these features of sensitivity needs to be addressed in a Landscape Impact Assessment report (as set out in Appendix 3 of the Draft Wind Energy Development Guidelines, and any revisions thereof).

e) Policy issues

The Wind Strategy fails to consider the impact of windfarms on the economic viability and social fabric of rural areas. Offshore wind farms and solar farms offer more potential than onshore wind farms.

Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations

The strategy in the Draft Plan was in line with Government policy on on-shore wind, as set out in the Wind Energy Guidelines 2006 and the *Draft Revised Wind Energy Development Guidelines, 2019*.

f) Landscape Character Assessment

The 2003 Landscape Character Assessment is outdated and the submissions question whether a revised LCA should have been prepared.

Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations

As set out in Section 9.2.12 Landscape, the Department of Arts, Heritage and Gaeltacht published a National Landscape Strategy in 2015, and one of the recommendations of the NLS is to develop a National Landscape Character Assessment, and once that is completed the Council will review its own LCA to ensure compliance.

g) Carbon sink potential

The Strategy mapping process fails to measure the current and future carbon sink potential of the proposed windfarm sites, including tree lines, hedgerows, and wetlands.

Chief Executive's Opinion and Recommendations

The attributes of any site proposed for wind energy development will be assessed against the full range of environmental criteria as part of any development proposal. This is a development management issue that may be addressed at planning application stage.

3.3 Templeorum/Tullahought

A number of submissions relate to the Templeorum area, and it is important to note the context for those. The Draft Plan designated this area as 'Acceptable in Principle', and a large number of submissions were received to the Draft, seeking a change in this designation. In response to these submissions, the Chief Executive's Report had noted the concerns expressed, but in order to comply with Government policy on renewable energy targets, and in line with the strategic approach to the Wind Energy Strategy, the Chief Executive recommended that the designation of the area as 'Acceptable in Principle' be retained. However, at the Council meeting on the 8th June 2021, it was decided by resolution to change the designations of two large areas (known as Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills) as follows;

Castlebanny - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Open for Consideration'

Templeorum - from 'Acceptable in Principle' to 'Not Normally Permissible'

Having regard to the submissions from the OPR and the SRA, and the Council's obligation to contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy, it is recommended that the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas revert to 'Acceptable in Principle', as was set out in the Draft Plan. This will allow the Council to reinsert its Strategic Aim of providing 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables.

Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Chief Executive's Report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) to 'Acceptable in Principle' and reinsert the strategic aim as follows:

To generate 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables by 2030 by promoting and facilitating all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change in suitable locations having due regard to natural and built heritage, biodiversity and residential amenities.

(See also Section 3.1 Castlebanny)

3.4 Renewable Energy Targets

As set out in the response to Submissions 50 (SRA) and 58 (OPR), the Specific Planning Policy Requirement (SPPR No. 2) states: *"It is a specific planning policy requirement under Section 28(1C) of the Act that, in making, reviewing, varying or amending a development plan, or a local area plan, with policies or objectives that relate to wind energy developments, the relevant planning authority shall carry out the following:... (2) Indicate how the implementation of the relevant development plan or local area plan over its effective period will contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy and climate change mitigation, and in particular wind energy production and the potential wind energy resource (in megawatts)".*

Therefore it is an obligation of the Council to contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy. Sections 11.4 and 11.5.1 of the Draft Plan had set out the megawatts required to meet the 100% renewable energy target, noting that the gap to meeting the renewable energy target is currently 201 MW.

The total area of land designated as 'Acceptable in Principle' under the Proposed Material Alterations was calculated as being 35,000 hectares. This was a reduction of approx. 15,000 hectares from the Draft Plan. The Council recognises the significant differential that occurs from the theoretical land availability to the actual land availability, due to setback distances from residences, site level constraints, landowner reluctance, ecology, heritage, and grid connection. Therefore, adequate headroom should be designated to account for the difference between theoretical resource and the actual capacity. This was the aim of the Draft, which designated over 50,000 hectares as 'Acceptable in Principle'.

As a strategic level document, it is not appropriate for the Wind Strategy to examine and designate individual sites, as these are best selected at a project stage. Therefore the sieve mapping approach is conducted at a high level, and does not drill down to plot setbacks from individual residences.

In order to give a practical indication of potential however, the current application for the Castlebanny wind farm is on a site area of 271 hectares, and has a stated capacity of 126MW (21 turbines of 6MW each). If one such project was to proceed, it is possible this, in combination with the potential available in the 'Open for Consideration' lands, and the potential for individual turbines or autoproducers, would result in a potential wind energy resource of 200MW.

Having regard to the submissions from the OPR and the SRA, and the Council's obligation to contribute to realising overall national targets on renewable energy, it is recommended that the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas, and the three small areas to the south of the county revert to 'Acceptable in Principle', as was set out in the Draft Plan. This will allow the Council to reinsert its Strategic Aim of providing 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables.

Recommendation: Retain the designation of the Castlebanny and the Templeorum hills areas as were set out in the Chief Executive's Report on the Draft Plan (June 2021) to 'Acceptable in Principle' and reinsert the strategic aim as follows:

To generate 100% of electricity demand for the County through renewables by 2030 by promoting and facilitating all forms of renewable energies and energy efficiency improvements in a sustainable manner as a response to climate change in suitable locations having due regard to natural and built heritage, biodiversity and residential amenities.

4 Matters arising and Corrections

A number of issues have arisen following internal review of the Proposed Material Alterations as set out below, some of which are corrections. Having examined these further modifications proposed, the Council is satisfied that, in accordance with Section 12(10)(c) of the Planning and Development Act, as amended, the modifications are (i) minor in nature, and therefore not likely to have significant effects on the environment or adversely affect the integrity of a European site, and they do not relate to:

- (I) an increase in the area of land zoned for any purpose, or
- (II) an addition to or deletion from the record of protected structures.

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Chapter 9 Heritage, and Culture and The Arts

Strategic Aim: To seek the protection and sustainable management of *the Arts Culture and* heritage of Kilkenny for the benefit of current and future generations; to encourage the collection of knowledge to inform its protection; and to promote access to, awareness of and enjoyment of Heritage *Arts; and Culture, to further develop the infrastructure and actively support engagement with communities throughout Kilkenny.*

9.1 Introduction

The Council will support the implementation of the *National Heritage Plan* and *National Biodiversity Action Plan* ~~and to review the County Biodiversity Plan as part of the Cultural Strategy.~~ *The Council will prepare and implement, in partnership with the Kilkenny Heritage Forum and all relevant stakeholders, a County Heritage Plan and County Biodiversity Action Plan.*

Update all references from the "Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht" to "Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage".

Table 9.1 Protected Habitats

– indicate that the * refers to the fact that Coan bog is an NHA (rather than pNHA)

- Delete "c" in cSAC

River Barrow & River Nore/~~Abbeyleix Wood Complex~~ 002162/~~000698/002076~~

9.2.4 Geological Heritage

In some locations, in consultation with landowners, it may be possible to access geological and geomorphological features of interest, and the Council will support and facilitate this where appropriate. ~~Promote, encourage, facilitate and support access and public rights of way to geological and geomorphological features of interest inter in consultation with landowners (where appropriate).~~

Move DM requirement to Section 9.2.3 Green Infrastructure

Require all new developments in the early pre-planning stage of the planning process to identify, protect and enhance ecological features, *habitats and* by making provision for local biodiversity (e.g. through *protection of existing breeding sites, and* provision *of appropriate new infrastructure such as* swift, *bat and barn owl* boxes, bat roost sites, green roofs, etc.) and provide links to the wider Green Infrastructure network as an essential part of the design process.

9.2.5 Woodland, Trees and Hedgerows

~~To protect woodlands and groups of trees from inappropriate development that would impact adversely on them and affect their amenity value.~~

Figure 9.2 Include LCAs of upland, lowland etc. in legend

9.2.9 Pollinators

Kilkenny County Council has adopted the All Ireland Pollinator Plan (www.pollinator.ie), a national framework which aims to make Ireland a place where pollinators thrive. ~~The National Biodiversity Action Plan 2017-2021 supports the implementation of the All Ireland Pollinator Plan (NBAP Action 4.1.8).~~ The Council will continue to support the implementation of the All Ireland Pollinator Plan and is committed to undertaking actions to support pollinators in the county.

9.3.1 Archaeological Heritage:

~~It is Council policy to promote / encourage and protect public access to Archaeological Heritage Sites and encourage signage to Archaeological sites and National Monuments.~~ *In some locations, in consultation with landowners, it may be possible to access archaeological heritage sites, and the Council will support and facilitate this where appropriate.*

In some appropriate locations, signage for Archaeological sites and National monuments may be beneficial.

9.3.1.4 Industrial Heritage

An Industrial Archaeology Survey of County Kilkenny[5] (1990) was commissioned by Kilkenny County Council and this identified significant sites which have since been added to the Record of Protected Structures.

Additional audits of Kilkenny's industrial heritage will be carried out as appropriate and as resources allow.

Valuable sources of information on lime kilns include the Industrial Archaeological Heritage Survey and various local history projects.

~~The Council will seek funding to progress the preparation of an inventory of lime kilns in the county.~~

9.3.9 Floodlighting

Development Management Requirements:

To ensure the protection of the special character and setting of protected structures, ACAs and Recorded Monuments, and protected species when considering proposals for floodlighting.

Section 9.5.2 Arts Infrastructure

Kilkenny is served by a selection of general venue, performance and exhibition spaces, including the internationally-recognised Butler Gallery, now housed in the former Evan's Home, the National Craft Gallery (*Design and* Crafts Council of Ireland), the Watergate Theatre, Rothe House, St. Canice's Cathedral, the Arts Office on Dean Street, ~~Open Circle on John's Green~~ and the Fine Art Print Studios, pop up spaces and the libraries.

Objectives:

9M To provide *a shared space* for a facility for *the creative sector* ~~the Barnstorm Theatre group~~ within the Abbey Quarter.

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Figure CS5 Zoning map – correct Newpark Neighbourhood centre zoning to align with the open space zoning in the 2014 City and Environs Development Plan, as requested in Submission KK-C162-124 to the Draft Plan.

Figure HS5 - Amend map to include Michael Street/Wolfe Tone Street ACA

Appendix A – Justification Test

Justification Test for development plans – as conducted on the site at Canal Walk, Kilkenny.

Where, as part of the preparation and adoption or variation and amendment of a development/local area plan, a planning authority is considering the future development of areas in an urban settlement that are at moderate or high risk of flooding, for uses or development vulnerable to flooding that would generally be inappropriate as set out in Table 3.2, **all of the following criteria must be satisfied:**

Criteria	Satisfies criteria?
1) The urban settlement is targeted for growth under the National Spatial Strategy, regional planning guidelines, statutory plans as defined above or under the Planning Guidelines or Planning Directives provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended.	
Kilkenny is identified as a Key Town in the Southern Regional Spatial and Economic Strategy 2020 and is targeted for growth in the County and City Development Plan.	Yes
2) The zoning or designation of the lands for the particular use or development type is required to achieve the proper and sustainable planning of the urban settlement and in particular:	
a. Is essential to facilitate regeneration and/or expansion of the centre of the urban settlement	
The zoning of this site for Existing Residential is not essential in this regard.	No
b. Comprises significant previously developed and/or under-utilised lands;	
The site does not comprise significant previously developed lands, however the land is under-utilised at present. Work has been undertaken to raise the ground levels of the site.	No
c. Is within or adjoining the core of an established or designated urban settlement;	
This site adjoins the core of Kilkenny (as core is defined in the Flooding Guidelines).	Yes
d. Will be essential in achieving compact or sustainable urban growth;	
The development of this land is not essential to achieve compact or sustainable urban growth.	No
e. There are no suitable alternative lands for the particular use or development type, in areas at lower risk of flooding within or adjoining the core of the urban settlement.	
There are alternative lands for residential development, in areas at lower risk of flooding, within and adjoining the core of Kilkenny city.	No
3) A flood risk assessment to an appropriate level of detail has been carried out as part of the Strategic Environmental Assessment as part of the development plan preparation process, which demonstrates that flood risk to the development can be adequately managed and the use or development of the lands will not cause unacceptable adverse impacts elsewhere.	
As part of planning application ref. 14/589, a site specific flood risk assessment was carried out by IE Consulting.	Yes